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RUSSIANS PREPARE FOR GREAT BATTLE

REBELLION IN SOUTH AFRICA; MARTIAL LAW DECLARED IN UNION

Premier General Botha Takes Immediate Steps to Crush Uprising Begun Under Command of Colonel Maritz in North-west of Cape Provinces.

Capetown Oct. 13.—It has been officially announced here that a command under Colonel Maritz has rebelled in the north-west of the Cape provinces. Martial law has been proclaimed throughout the Union.

The rebellion among the forces of the north-west Cape province has been broadening since the resignation of General Beyers as commander-in-chief of the Union forces. As soon as the government realized this situation it sent Colonel Maritz to relieve Maritz of his command. Colonel Maritz then discovered that Maritz was commanding German troops as well as his own and that he had German guns in his possession. Maritz, who had been given the German rank of general, had arrested those of his officers and men who were unwilling to join the Germans and had sent them as prisoners of war to German Southwest Africa. According to an official statement an agreement was drawn up between Maritz and the governor of Southwest Africa, guaranteeing independence of the Union as a republic ceding Walvis Bay and other parts of the Union to the Germans and undertaking that the Germans should invade the Union only if Maritz asked them to do so.

Maritz boasted that he possessed large supplies of guns, rifles, ammunition and money obtained from the Germans and that he would overrun the whole of South Africa.

"In view of this state of affairs," concluded the official statement, "the government is taking drastic steps to quell this rebellion and punish all rebels and traitors according to their deserts."

Solomon G. Maritz fought in the Boer war with the rank of commander. News dispatches in the early part of November, 1903, described his military activity, and on December 10 of the same year he was reported wounded.

In the summer of 1904 the administration of German Southwest Africa was confronted with a rebellion of the native Hereros, and in the early part of July General Maritz admitted his inability to cope with the movement. She asked aid of Great Britain.

In response, the British government granted Germany permission to engage Maritz, who then had the title of general, as a military advisor to General Botha, commander of the German troops in Southwest Africa. Two steamships conveyed General Maritz, ten Boer officers and 500 Boer marksmen from Capetown to Swakopmund, from which place they advanced to join the German forces.

News dispatches from Berlin in July of 1904 related that General Botha had entrusted General Maritz with the conduct of his division against the Hereros. Hope was expressed at this time in German circles in Capetown that these Boers would remain in German Southwest Africa as colonists.

London, Oct. 13.—The rebellion of a section of the Dutch element in South Africa, which broke out to-day with suddenness, is the first warning note that has marred the harmony in the British empire since the outbreak of the war, and it has momentarily diverted attention from the arenas near the heart of the empire.

"That this rising was real and dangerous was sufficiently proved by official dispatches from Governor-General Buxton to the Imperial government, and by the drastic steps General Botha and his colleagues have taken to stamp it out by the imposition of martial law in the whole Union of South Africa.

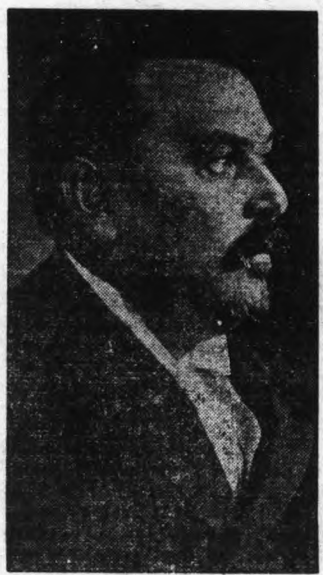
The proclamation of martial law directly charged the widespread secret propaganda of the Germans with being responsible for the seduction of this command, which was one of the four armies sent in the field when the Union government undertook to relieve the home government of the task of dealing with the German colonies in the continent of Africa.

It is apparently the belief of General Botha's government that others besides those under immediate command of Colonel Maritz may have been affected, hence the inclusion of the whole dominion in the order establishing martial law.

Germanizing factors are said by British authorities to have been at work for years in the frontier districts and to have even percolated into southwestern Transvaal and other Dutch districts.

Telegrams from Cap. Town declare,

GENERAL LOUIS BOTHA



however, that a majority of the Dutch remain absolutely loyal, and this seems to be shown by resolutions drawn up at an emergency meeting of the South African party summoned immediately after the news of the rebellion had leaked out. The meeting, which was composed entirely of Dutch-speaking Afrikaners, condemned the conduct of Colonel Maritz in the strongest terms. A telegram was dispatched to Premier Botha unreservedly offering the services of the Cape Dutch in any capacity desired.

The Dutch paper Onstand, published at Cape Town, indignantly denounces what it terms the treachery of Maritz and calls on the Dutch throughout South Africa to stand at the back of the government.

The Union government's action is bound to bring matters to a head and to disclose the true attitude of the Dutch element which, it is contended, is overwhelmingly loyal to the British empire.

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HORRORS OF WAR ARE TOLD BY CHURCHMAN

Aged and Young Tormented With Hunger by Enemy in Russian Poland

London, Oct. 13.—The Standard's Petrograd correspondent wires that Prelate Anastasia, archbishop of the Chelmski Union of Churches, has made the following telegraphic declaration to the Holy Synod: "I have just returned from the frontier parishes of the Chelm, Russian Poland district, and hasten to inform the Holy Synod of the appalling horrors that have been perpetrated by the Hungarian troops on the orthodox population of the invaded territory.

"On Ascension Day a number of parishioners entered the chapel of Chodivintz through the agrarians' door to gain shelter from the enemy's bullets and to pray. Breaking open the main entrance door, the Hungarian soldiers, pipes in mouth and without removing their caps, rode horseback into the holy institution and began firing recklessly.

"As a result the church warden and his wife were killed on the spot; the wife of Priest Lievitski was wounded in the head and his daughter in the hand, which was subsequently cut off. The priest Lievitski, who had left the previous night for a parish in the neighborhood, was seized on the way and pulled by a rope for a considerable distance, until rescued by the Cossacks.

"At Schlattin Hungarians fired at an icon posted on the walls of the church. The village of Yoorov has been utterly and wantonly destroyed by fire, and wheat that had been gathered likewise was burned. Thirty-nine people who had concealed themselves in pits in the hope of escaping the fury of the savages, were burned alive. Among them were three families. Those who endeavored to leave the blazing pits, even children, were ruthlessly shot.

"More than eighty persons, consisting of graybeards, old women and young mothers bearing children in their arms, were tormented by hunger and sent away into the interior of Austria. "In the universal destruction it is remarkable to recognize that wooden churches and Sunday schools attached thereto have remained unscathed.

"From an adjacent village ninety orthodox individuals of various ages and of both sexes, were seized and seventeen of the most prominent personages of the locality were shot. A few yards from the frontier an old Russian peasant, before being riddled with bullets, exclaimed: 'I am dying for holy Russia and hope to God that the czar will annihilate his enemy.'

Westward Wings in France to Meet Between Lens and Cassel

Monday on French Battlefield Was Marked by Perceptible Progress at Various Points of Fighting by Allied British and French Armies

London, Oct. 13.—That dispositions are now being made by the French and British allies and by the Germans for a big battle between Lens and Cassel, on the westward wings of the opposing hosts, is deduced here from fragmentary information disseminated by the intelligence departments of the belligerent powers. Cassel is 18 miles inland from the fortified seaport of Dunkirk on the Straits of Dover.

Belgian Government Moves to France.

Bordeaux, Oct. 13.—It has been decided to transfer the Belgian government to France in order that it may have full liberty of action. The foregoing was announced officially in Bordeaux to-day. King Albert remains at the head of the Belgian army.

Paris, Oct. 13.—The following official announcement was made here this afternoon: "On our left wing our forces have renewed the offensive in the regions of Hazebrouck and of Bethune against detachments of the enemy composed in large part of cavalry coming from the front along Balileul, Estacas and LaBasse. The town of Lille, held by a territorial detachment, has been attacked and occupied by a German army corps. Between Arras and Albert we have made notable progress.

"On the centre also we have made progress in the region of Berry au Bac and we have advanced toward Soumy. In the western region of the Argonne and north of Malincourt, between the Argonne and the Meuse, on the right bank of the Meuse, our troops who hold the heights of the Meuse to the east of Verdun have advanced.

"To the south of the road from Verdun to Metz, in the region of Apremont, we have gained a little territory on our right and repulsed a German attack on our left. On our right wing near Vosges and Alsace there has been no change.

"To sum up, yesterday was marked by perceptible progress on the part of

CANADA'S CONTINGENT MAY RISE TO 100,000

Minister of Militia Due in Great Britain Soon on Military Business.

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—While offers for enlistment are pouring into the militia department to an extent which indicates that it will be easy to raise in short order the second Canadian contingent of twenty-two thousand, no conclusive arrangement for the recruiting has yet been made. It is intimated to-day that it is possible this will not be proceeded with until the minister of militia has an opportunity of conferring with the war office as to the character of the force which is desired. Col. Hughes is due on the other side tomorrow. Probably it will be the end of the week before definite advice is received. The assumption, however, is that the new force will be comprised more particularly of mounted rifles and infantry rather than one comprising all units, such as cavalry, artillery and infantry.

With the 33,000 who have gone the 22,000 now to be raised and the allowance

for wastage, etc., which are necessary, Canada, should the war be prolonged, may ultimately have 100,000 men in the field. The militia department is already making arrangements for the supply of the necessary equipment for the expeditionary force. There is a great influx here of contractors and manufacturers, and orders are being placed to ensure the speedy fitting out of the 22,000 immediately on their being recruited.

GERMANY WILL RESPECT TREATIES OF SCHELDT

Berlin, Oct. 13, via The Hague and London.—The Netherlands was officially notified to-day by Germany that the status of the river Scheldt will be regarded by German as heretofore. There will be no question of forcing the Scheldt or using it for purposes not sanctioned in treaties.

NATIONAL GUARD READY.

Phoenix, Ariz., Oct. 13.—The Arizona National Guard was ordered by Governor Hunt to-day to be in readiness to entrain at a moment's notice for Naco.

GIGANTIC CONFLICT AGAINST GERMANY AND AUSTRIA NEXT

Sixty-Mile Stretch on Bank of Vistula Will Be Scene of Deciding Battle in Russian Poland Where Armies Are Now Forming

Both Sides Compelled to Abandon Certain Advantageous Points to Use Troops in Immense Engagement on Which Campaign Centres.

London, Oct. 13.—All eyes to-day are turned to the eastward, where, under conditions of the utmost secrecy, the Teutonic allies and the Russians are preparing to engage in what may prove one of the most decisive combats of the war. Evidence is accumulating to show that this gigantic conflict will be determined in Russian Poland, and the only question disturbing British experts is as to which side has chosen the battle ground. Berlin admits having withdrawn from the Niemen river, and at the same time discounts the movement in that region as being of no strategic importance.

Tremendous Advance Made by Russian Centre.

It is now clear that Russia has abandoned the narrow point in Galicia between Przemyśl and Cracow, Russian forces having virtually occupied all of Galicia with the exception of these two places. Petrograd claims this operation is due to strategic reasons, while Vienna maintains that the rejuvenated Austrian armies have relieved the Przemyśl fortress and driven the invaders out. It is unquestioned that the more or less demoralized Austrian forces, stiffened by German reinforcements, have resumed the offensive, but there is no information here to indicate that the Russian retirement is anything in the nature of a rout resulting from vigorous fighting.

Whatever may be the intention of the armies operating on the ends of the great Russian battlefield, it is clear that these movements have paved into insignificance beside the tremendous advance in the centre.

Great Fight to Take Place on Vistula.

Broadly speaking, this is now the position of antagonists awaiting the word to open the engagement. The main German armies in Russian Poland are moving toward the Vistula river on a north and south front extending through Ploetkovo, ninety miles southwest of Warsaw, Kielce and Busk, on the Bug river, thirty miles east of Lambert. To the left of this army between Lodz and Kalisz is another German force, and on the right of the main German army is an Austrian force.

The bulk of the Russian troops are on the east bank of the Vistula, but a portion of their forces are still on the west side of the river. The nature of the country makes it probable that the centre of the battle-line would be between Sandomir and Ivangorod, both on the Vistula and about sixty miles apart.

Germans Have Abandoned Strong Positions.

In order to take up these positions the Germans have been compelled to abandon strong positions along the river Warthe and avail themselves of the transportation facilities of Russian railways which are incomparably poorer than what they have been accustomed to. The Russians are described as keen to engage the enemy in a country of their own choosing and near the base of their supplies. The Germans are said to be still retiring in the direction of East Prussia, and in Petrograd there is a report of a Russian victory near Raczki, midway between Augustowo and Suwalki, which resulted in the capture of several German batteries sent from Königsberg.

Berlin declares that all the western part of Russian Poland is now in the hands of Germany, and that every place west of the Vistula with the exception of Warsaw, is in their hands. It would appear to be a fact that no heavy engagements yet have been fought in this region, most of the fighting being between screens of cavalry.

A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram company from Petrograd says: "It is evident that a big battle was fought at the village of Raczki (between Augustowo and Suwalki) after the defeat of the Germans at Augustowo. The German right wing rested on Raczki, October 8 the Russians, after seven days' continuous fighting, drove out the Germans, who crossed the river and then posted their guns on the hills. Several batteries, including those sent as reinforcements from Königsberg, were captured."

A dispatch to the Central News from Rome says a telegram from Petrograd to the Tribuna states that no Germans remain in the provinces of Suwalki and Lomza, Russian Poland, that the Russian army continues to advance. In East Prussia, and that the entire district of Lyck is now occupied by the forces of Emperor Nicholas. In addition the dispatch says that the Russians are maintaining their positions in Hungary, Bukovina and Transylvania.

SIXTEEN THOUSAND AUSTRIANS DEFEATED

Montenegrins Terminate Battle North-west of Sarajevo at Bayonet Points.

London, Oct. 13.—A dispatch from Cottinje, sent by the Rome correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company, says Montenegrin troops under General Bukovitch have defeated 16,000 Austrians, supported by six batteries at a point northeast of Sarajevo. The battle terminated in a hand-to-hand bayonet conflict which lasted four hours. The Austrians lost 2,500 men and the Montenegrins 300. Among the Montenegrins wounded are General Medametzna and Gollich.



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CAVALRY IS SWEEPING NORTHWEST OF LILLE

Incidents Related of Individual Bravery on the Battlefield

From the Battle Front, via Paris, Oct. 13.—The battlefield Northwest of Lille was the point of greatest interest yesterday in the great battle, which has already lasted 23 days. The cavalry of both armies has swept about the country for days, seeking to go through or around the opposing lines, and everywhere has encountered the fire of the enemy.

A successful ruse carried out by a detachment of French infantry in the vicinity of Lens is related in the orders of the day. Having been ordered to hold a position, the small squad did so throughout the day, but at dusk the detachment was compelled to retire before an overwhelming force of Germans. Reaching a country estate, the French commander placed a number of men in the last outlying houses, with orders to remain until they heard the bugle call. The rest of the party took up a position a quarter of a mile further on in the open country.

The Germans continued their pursuit without noticing the French rifle-men in the houses. A bugle sounded and fire was opened both on the front and on the rear of the German force, which, after losing many men, retreated. The French re-occupied their original position, and saved the Allies' lines from being pressed.

A French non-commissioned officer who had 72 men, and who had been forgotten at an entrenched position near Roye, saw 7,000 Germans advancing, but the Frenchmen did not budge until their ammunition was spent. Then the officer ordered his men to retire through a wood, and he joined his regiment with twenty of his command. He was promoted on the field to be a lieutenant, as his stand had permitted a reinforcement of the Allies' lines at a critical moment.

The weather, except for some chilly nights, is ideal for military operations, even the men occupying exposed trenches have recovered from the damp spell.

Trench duty in the siege operations is now thoroughly organized, digging continues all the time, and the trenches of the opposing armies appear to be within 100 yards of each other in some places. The men in these ditches, especially along the line from Rheims to the Meuse, have been inactive often during the past few days, and voices often ring out from the shelters calling upon one another to come out and fight.

Some of the men have become very daring, the life in the burrows, with an occasional turn at firing, being so monotonous that they go out in search of adventure.

One party of three Algerians left their shelter and proceeded to a house which was still standing near the lines. There they found seven Germans. The men fraternized and together searched a cellar. After regaling themselves on wine, the Algerians, who had brought rifles with them, ordered the Germans to fall in, and took them prisoners. Just behind the Allies' firing line the grape harvest is proceeding as though nothing unusual occurred. The crop promises to be good.

A chauffeur belonging to a British ordnance corps, was promoted to-day for saving five motor trucks, forming part of an ammunition convoy. The Germans had cut the convoy off from the supply column. After disposing of the contents of the trucks over the field, all the men of the convoy, with the exception of the chauffeur, made off. The chauffeur hid himself in the woods behind the road, and when the Germans retired he returned to the trucks. He found the wheels of the machines intact, and one motor in good order. Hitching the trucks together, he brought them safely into camp alone.

In Alsace the French continue their advance. Frequent skirmishes are being fought between the German rear guard, and the French advance guard. Snow has fallen in the high hills in this region, making operations difficult.



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NIETZSCHE'S WRITING DEMORALIZED GERMANS

Thomas Hardy Blames Author's Work for Destruction of Rheims Cathedral

London, Oct. 13.—Thomas Hardy, the author, writing of the destruction of the Rheims cathedral, says it must be irrefutably settled whether it was accidental or partly so. On this decision will depend whether or not German civilization is to be a byword forever.

"If it was not accidental," Mr. Hardy says, "it will strongly suggest what a disastrous blight upon the glory and nobility of a great nation has been wrought by the writings of Nietzsche and his followers, Treitschke, von Bernhardi, and others.

"I should think that there is no instance since history began of a country being so demoralized by a single writer, the irony being that he was a megalomaniac and not truly a philosopher at all.

"It puzzles one to understand how the more profound thinkers of Germany, and to some extent elsewhere, can have been so dazzled by this writer's bombastic poetry—for it is a sort of prose poetry—as to be blinded by the fallacy of his arguments, if they can be called arguments, which are off-hand assumptions.

"His postulates as to what life is on this earth have no resemblance to the reality, yet he and his school seem to have eclipsed for a time in Germany the close reasoned philosophies of such men as Kant and Schopenhauer. It is rather rough on the latter that their views of life should be swept into one net with those of Nietzsche, Treitschke, and the rest as German philosophy, as has been done by some English writers, when they really differ further in ethics than the humane philosophers mentioned differ in that from Christianity."

RUSSIAN CRUISER SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE

Warship Torpedoed in Baltic Sea Had on Board Crew of 573 Men.

Petrograd, Oct. 12.—An official communication issued to-day announces that on October 11 the Russian armored cruiser Pallada was torpedoed in the Baltic sea by a German submarine and sank with all her crew.

The text of the communication, which was made public by the marine department, follows: "On October 10, German submarines were sighted in the Baltic sea. The same day, early in the morning, the submarines attacked the cruiser Admiral Makarov, which had stopped to search a suspected barque flying the commercial flag of the Netherlands.

"A submarine of the enemy launched several torpedoes, which luckily missed the mark and caused no damage whatsoever to the cruiser.

"On October 11, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, submarines of the Germans attacked the cruisers Bayan and Pallada, which were patrolling the Baltic.

"Although the cruisers opened a very strong fire, one of the submarines succeeded in launching torpedoes against the Pallada, whereupon an explosion resulted and the cruiser sank with all her crew quickly."

The Pallada was a 7,000-ton armored cruiser, built in St. Petersburg in 1910. She was manned by a crew of 573 men, had a speed of 21 knots and an armament of two 8-inch, eight 6-inch, twenty 12-pounders, four 6-pounders and smaller guns.

ARMY AND ADMIRALTY REPORT CASUALTIES

London, Oct. 12.—The casualty lists issued from the headquarters of the expeditionary force under date of October 7 and 8, include the following officers:

Killed: Aldridge, Captain R. J. P. D., Royal Sussex Regiment; Allison, Captain T., Royal North Lancashire Regiment; Calrow, Second Lieutenant W. R. L., Royal North Lancashire Regiment.

Wounded: Bond, Captain C. E., D.S.O., Royal Sussex Regiment; Bowes-Lyon, Lieutenant C. L. C., Black Watch; Burrows, Major A., Royal North Lancashire Regiment; Chaworth-Musters, Second Lieutenant A., Royal Field Artillery; Desair, Second Lieutenant W. H. B., Royal Sussex Regiment; Kay, Captain W. A. I., King's Royal Rifle Corps; Pantou, Lieutenant G. B. V., Royal Sussex Regiment; Purcell, Lieutenant R. J. H., King's Royal Rifle Corps; Smith, Lieutenant M. B., Coldstream Guards.

The admiralty reports the following casualties to the Royal Marine Brigade:

Killed: Pryce-Brown, Major W. H., reserve officer.

Wounded: Goode, Captain Cuthbert H., serious shrapnel wound; Foote, Lieutenant R. C. H., dangerously; Hammond, Lieutenant and Quartermaster J., wounded in left foot; Chatter, Probationary Second Lieutenant A., concussion, not serious; Captain Montgomery Williams, of the reserve officers, reported slightly wounded.

BULLET PIERCES BOW ARM OF VIOLINIST

San Francisco, Oct. 12.—A letter and a clipping from a Vienna newspaper confirming a report of the wounding of Fritz Kreisler, the violinist, were received by a friend here to-day from Mrs. Kreisler. The musician, who is an officer in the Austrian reserve, received a bullet in the right arm in a night attack by Russian Cossacks on September 6.

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GERMANY WAS SEEKING MORE CANADIAN TRADE

Negotiations Were Progressing With Government When War Was Declared

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—At the time war was declared, efforts were being made by Germany to secure better trade terms with Canada. Germany was asking for at least equal treatment with France, and negotiations were in progress when hostilities opened. The history of trade relations between Canada and Germany is interesting, and her arrogant attempt several years ago to coerce Canada because she would not give equal treatment with the motherland is typical of her general methods of diplomacy.

It was in 1903 that Germany declared an economic war on Canada, objecting to the Dominion's right to grant a preference to the United Kingdom. Germany imposed maximum duties as a penalty, which went into force automatically. As a result of this trade war, Germany's business with Canada at a period when her trade expansion was at its height, was cut in two. As Canada sold only to Germany, her natural products, and whatever was not sold in Germany could be sold at as big a figure elsewhere, Germany was the only one hurt by this ridiculous trade war. It was a piece of arrogant trade bluffing, about as blundering on a smaller scale as her diplomacy in this present war.

In 1910 Germany admitted defeat by withdrawing from the arbitrary position she had taken in 1903. Germany evidently decided not to fight Canada, but to curry favor with her. Shortly afterwards there began a big increase not only in German exports to Canada, but in German imports of wheat from Canada.

A couple of years ago it was noticed by men in the grain trade and government officials that there was a sudden and astonishing growth in the shipment of wheat from Canada to Germany. There is good reason to believe that this was actually at the instance of the German government. The German government never does things without a reason. The reason was soon apparent when approaches were made to Canada for better trade relations. It was pointed out that next to the United States and Great Britain, Germany was Canada's best customer. Germany asked at least for equal treatment with France. Germany was still pressing her claims for better treatment when war was declared, which put an end not only to any idea of closer trade with Germany, but killed all German trade in Canada. Even if peace is declared to-morrow, it will be years before Germany can win back her Canadian commerce.

VILLISTA ARTILLERY GETS RANGE OF TOWN

Maytorena Shelling Naco Ceases Sending Shot Over United States Border-line.

Naco, Ariz., Oct. 12.—The Carranza garrison of Naco, Sonora, was again subjected to-day to shellfire from the guns of Governor Maytorena. The Villista artillery, which threw four shells into American territory yesterday, doing considerable damage, seemed to be rather better handled to-day and the shells fell into the Mexican town.

General Hill, commanding the garrison, again occupied trenches parallel to the boundary to protect his men from the fire of Maytorena's Yaqui Indians, who Saturday night and early yesterday worked around to the American line and directed their fire on the garrison from this side of the border. Hill complained that the American border guards had failed to prevent this violation of American neutrality.

POLITICS UNCHANGED BY DEATH OF KING CHARLES

Rome, via Paris, Oct. 12.—The Idea Nazionale published an inquiry made at the Balkan legation concerning the attitude of Roumania after the death of King Charles. M. Mikailovitch, Serbian minister to Rome, like others from the Balkan states, expresses the opinion that the death of King Charles will not produce any great change in Roumanian politics, as the difference between the king and his people were more exaggerated than real, and that Roumania wishes to continue the policy which she adopted in the second Balkan war, and which enabled her to increase her territory without serious danger.

A change in the attitude of Roumania, according to diplomats from the Balkan states is not expected to occur immediately but a change may be expected, they intimate, if the battle of Cracow has decisive results.

SIR WILFRID LAURIER TO ADDRESS MEETING

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—Sir Robert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier have been invited to address a mass meeting to be held at Sohmer Park, Montreal, on Thursday evening next in connection with the recruiting for the French-Canadian military unit to be known as the Royal Canadians.

Sir Wilfrid has accepted the invitation, and it is expected that the premier will do so.

Other speakers will include Hon. Mr. Pelletier, Hon. Mr. Lemieux and Hon. Louis Coderre.

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Ottawa, Oct. 13.—The health of the postmaster-general, Hon. L. P. Pelletier, is causing much alarm to his friends and colleagues here. For a month he has been unable to visit his office, and scarcely any improvement is shown in his condition. It is believed that he must either retire from active political life or take a complete rest for many months. If Mr. Pelletier should retire it is said to be practically certain that his successor will be Hon. Thomas Chase Casgrain, now chairman of the Canadian section of the international waterways commission.

PREPARING SUPPLIES OF SECOND CONTINGENT

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—Preparations for sending Canada's second contingent to the front are proceeding rapidly. Supplies, clothing, boots, war material, etc., have for the most part all been ordered, and are being got ready.

No suggestion has yet been received from the war office as to the composition of the force. The main matter is the local arrangements for mobilization and supplies, and these have been attended to.

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DAMAGE TO TOWNS IN ZONE OF WAR REPORTED

Paris, Oct. 13.—A dispatch to the Havas news agency from Troyes, has extracts from an official report which relates that Meuse, Chalons, and Reims suffered little during the German occupation. Sedan and Vouziers were unharmed. In the Meuse valley, Hainaut and Fumway were devastated. Bethel was burned. Of 1,200 buildings, 900, including the city hall, the schools and the market were destroyed.

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LONG WAR AHEAD IS LORD CURZON'S VIEW

Infantry Standard Again Lowered Meaning That More Recruits Are Required

London, Oct. 13.—Earl Curzon of Kedleston, formerly Viceroy of India, in a speech at a war meeting at Harrow School last night, said the taking of Antwerp was a deliberate part of the German plan.

"Germany has taken Antwerp to fortify it, to keep it, to use it as a great jumping off place for her future attempts on this country. No temporary occupation, unless we make it so." The speaker added that by fortifying Antwerp, Germany could secure a grip on the whole of Belgium, make Holland play her will and then settle down to her main object—the destruction of this country. He said England was in for a long war, and declared he was shocked that some people should think the hostilities would be over by Christmas. In his opinion more than one Christmas would pass over before the ending of the war. In concluding he advised the hearers "not to begin to divide the German Empire before we have got hold of it."

Britain's need of more fighting men was emphasized by the announcement last night that the infantry standard, which had been raised to check the great rush of recruits at the outbreak of the war, has again been lowered. The minimum height for recruits, which formerly was five feet six inches, has been reduced to five feet four inches, and chest measurement from 35 1/2 inches to 34 1/2 inches.

An appeal has been issued in Glasgow for 2,000 recruits to replace the naval men interned in Holland. Bodies of men belonging to the naval brigade which took part in the defense of Antwerp arrived at the English Channel port of Deal last night, says a dispatch from the Deas correspondent of The Chronicle. Immense crowds greeted them at the station as they marched down the street, headed by a brass band. The marines, wearing khaki uniforms, appeared to be somewhat weary, but otherwise seemed perfectly fit. The forty-four lists of losses in the Prussian army, which have been published, contain a total of 211,900 killed, wounded and missing, according to a Reuther despatch from Amsterdam. The lists do not include losses among the Bavarians, Saxons and Wurttembergians.

PRINCES OF SERBIA WOUNDED IN BATTLE AGAINST AUSTRIANS

London, Oct. 13.—The Star's correspondent in Copenhagen, says the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin, reports that Crown Prince Alexander of Serbia has been slightly wounded and that his brother, Prince George of Serbia, has been mortally wounded in the fighting against the Austrians. Crown Prince Alexander of Serbia, second son of King Peter, is 26 years old and became heir-apparent to the Serbian throne when his brother, Prince George, who is one year his senior, renounced his right to accession in 1909. Prince George had killed his servant and it was believed he had developed homicidal mania. Prince Alexander acted as regent of Serbia during the illness of the king.

EARTHQUAKE IN TURKEY KILLS 3,000 PERSONS

Washington, Oct. 13.—More than 3,000 lives were lost in the earthquake in the province of Ikon, Turkey, October 5, according to a cablegram today from Ambassador Morgenthau to the state department. Thousands of buildings were destroyed, rendering countless numbers of people homeless. Ambassador Morgenthau was unofficially requested by the minister of the interior of the Turkish government to solicit help from the people of the United States through the Red Cross and other organizations.

PRINCE OLEG OF RUSSIA DIES FROM SHOT WOUND

Petrograd, Oct. 13.—Prince Oleg, a son of Grand Duke Constantine, died yesterday of wounds received in action.

An official dispatch from Petrograd on October 11 said Prince Oleg had been wounded during a cavalry engagement at the front. He was carrying a Russian standard at the time he was shot.

TWO BOMBS DROPPED ON OSTEND DO NOT EXPLODE

London, Oct. 13.—A dispatch to the Times from Ostend says that a German aviator dropped two bombs on Ostend Monday. Neither of the missiles exploded. The correspondent adds that the Germans occupied Ghent at 7 o'clock Monday morning and that refugees from that city are coming in to Ostend.

MORGAN INTERESTED IN RAILROAD FOR ALASKA

Washington, Oct. 13.—J. P. Morgan came to Washington today for a conference with Secretary Lane of the interior department, on conditions in Alaska, with particular reference to railroad questions. There has been reports that the Morgan interests would offer to sell certain properties to the government for use in connection with the government railroad soon to be constructed in Alaska.

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RUSSIANS PREPARING TO MEET JOINT ARMY

Retirement From Przemyśl Made for Purpose of Occupying Strategic Position

The Hague, Oct. 13.—The Austrian legation here has issued the following official communication: "The rapid advance of the Austro-Hungarian troops along the river San resulted on October 11 in the entire withdrawal of the Russian investing forces from Przemyśl, Galicia, which was immediately occupied by Austrian relief troops. "The retreating Russians everywhere were strongly attacked. An attempt on their part to cross the river near Sinawa and Lazajsk gave the Austro-Hungarian troops an opportunity to take a large number of prisoners. "These as yet have not been counted."

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ARTILLERY SECTIONS FIGHTING AT BELFORT

The Hague, via London, Oct. 13.—According to a special dispatch to the Cologne Gazette, from Zurich, Switzerland, a large number of civilians who arrived in Zurich from Belfort, reported that an artillery duel was progressing in the direction of Belfort when they departed.

A special dispatch to the Avond Post says 1,500 German wounded have passed through Liege for Aix la Chapelle, to which place within the last two weeks 20,000 wounded have been transported. Most of these, it is thought here, were from Antwerp.

THREE KILLED IN TRAIN ACCIDENT AT LA TURQUE

Montreal, Oct. 12.—Three men were killed and two were injured yesterday when a construction train on the national transcontinental was wrecked near La Turque, Que., a remote station on the new line. Details were not available last night and the names of only one of the dead men had been learned—Engineer A. H. Johnston, of Westmount.

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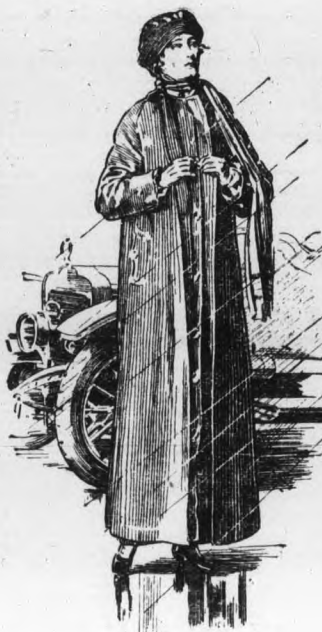
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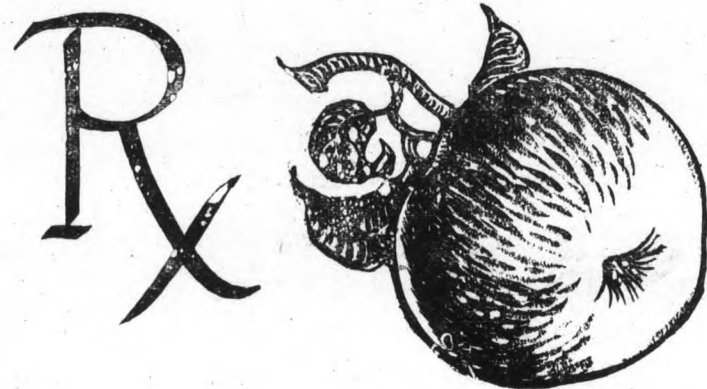
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THE WAR.

Reports to-day confirm our outline of yesterday relative to the great battle which is about to begin on the eastern front. The Germans are advancing on towards the Vistula, mainly from the southeast, and east of Cracow have crossed the river. To do this, however, they have had to abandon their strong frontier positions from Kailisch to Cracow and carry the battle to the Russians on the ground of the latter's selection. The Associated Press summary from London says British experts are in doubt as to which power selected the fighting area. We question if any doubt exists at all in London on this point. The Russians know that it is German policy to keep the fighting off German territory, as long as possible for fear of the effect upon the German people and that the Kaiser's armies can be lured to any locality just as they were drawn to the disastrous trap on the Nieman. Hence sound strategy requires that they select their positions and wait for the enemy to come to them.

The Russians likewise have abandoned all the non-essentials in their campaign against Germany and Austria. That is, they have permitted the disjointed Austrian forces to reoccupy the narrow strip of Galicia between Przemyśl and Cracow, knowing that this can be retaken as soon as the main obstacle is out of the road. Likewise they are driving the Germans to the shelter of the Mazure region in East Prussia, where they will be content with holding them. They will play with one iron in the fire. They have concentrated their main resources in Russian Poland, forces whose numbers the world may only guess, and already the outposts are in action.

The size of the rival armies undoubtedly has been highly exaggerated. The other day it was claimed that there were 2,500,000 Germans and Austrians along the frontier of Russian Poland and Galicia. As a matter of fact, the Germans cannot maintain more than 2,000,000 men on the fighting line on both eastern and western fronts. Enormous forces must be absorbed in the business of supply, transport and army service. Schleswig-Holstein, the Dutch frontier, the area behind Wilhelmshaven and the coast regions of Mecklenburg and Pomerania, cannot be denuded of troops. The numerous fortifications must be garrisoned. Thus while drawing upon reserves Germany can maintain her maximum on both fronts, there is an immediate limit to her resources. Austria is even more definitely handicapped. It is much to be doubted if the combined German and Austrian armies in the eastern battle line exceed a million and a half effective. The same considerations added to the difficulty of mobilization must affect Russia's maximum in the actual fighting line, but she has the advantage of directing her whole army in one field, whereas both Germany and Austria must keep large forces on other fronts. Russia, according to all signs, should have a marked numerical superiority over her opponents, a superiority which will become greater as times goes by.

In the west the French official bulletin reports satisfactory progress. Between Arras and Albert there has been a considerable advance and the allies are making progress in the centre and the western area of the Argonne. This advance in the centre should not be lost sight of. If it continues it should result in some startling developments in a few days. We know that the British and French have taken a number of strong German positions on the plateau north of the Aisne, which would indicate that the enemy have begun a retiring movement. Reports from Belgium describe a northerly and easterly movement of German troops. This would indicate either that the Germans intend to fall back upon the Sambre and Meuse, with their northern

right end resting on Antwerp, or they find themselves threatened by the Belgian army with reinforcements. Just how numerous those who escaped from Antwerp are it is hard to say, but there should be at least forty thousand Belgians on the march. British reinforcements landed at Ostend should bring that force to sixty or seventy thousand men. Again, it is not improbable that the Belgians will effect a junction with the French and thereby add effectively to the encircling movement which now extends to the coast. In any event, the Germans plainly are stripping their centre to strengthen their right, thereby facilitating the allies' advance in that direction.

GERMANY'S BOLD CORSAIRS.

Some of our American contemporaries are showering compliments upon the commanders of the Emden and other vagrant German cruisers for the skill and daring they have displayed in the destruction of British merchant ships. We have no objection to the devil receiving his due. At the same time the bold commanders of the Emden and her industrious sisters also have displayed some skill in avoiding contact with ships capable of returning a tit for a tat. Only upon one occasion, thus far, has a bold German commander elected to engage in what we consider a fair fight as distinguished from "higher strategy" upon the high seas, and the cruiser Carmania satisfactorily settled accounts with him. Sinking unarmed and defenceless ships is a simple matter and one which does not require an excessive display of courage. The Emden was able to make her raids in the Bay of Bengal because British vessels of war in those waters, for the most part, were engaged in the highly important enterprise of conveying British troops from India and other places to the shores of fair France. Work of that kind soon will be completed, when the cases of the Emden and her widely scattered consorts will receive the attentions they merit. The Germans already have proved that they are cunning and courageous seamen, and we trust that the captains of the various craft which have been operating with such success upon the high seas will not follow the example of their brothers on the Goeben and her sister fugitive when they have the alternatives of fighting or seeking refuge in neutral ports.

THE CURRENCY OF STATESMANSHIP.

Lloyd George aptly describes treaties as the currency of international statesmanship and says that if the currency of German commerce is to be debased to the level of that of her statesmanship, no trader from Shanghai to Valparaiso ever will look at a German signature again. This is a correct representation of the situation. Prussianism has dragged German reputation to the very gutter. The world now knows that the German people will observe their obligations only as long as it is in their interests to do so; that bonds and treaties are merely "scraps of paper" to be torn to pieces at will. Mr. Bryan realizes that the German signature to a treaty of arbitration is worthless, that the nation which, with the approval of its people, deliberately violated its covenant with Belgium would repudiate any pledge it may give to the United States under the cover of fair words at the first favorable opportunity.

Germany may recover from the effects of this war within a few years, but it will take a generation to wipe out the stain upon her honor. Initial victories in the struggle may justify duplicity to the German people, but they only make it more glaring in the eyes of the world. The destruction of Louvain, the sack of Malines and Termonde and the capture of Antwerp, emphasize the treacherous circumstances under which the German soldiers happen to be in Belgium. Germany is an outlaw among nations; there is a price upon her head, and she will be hunted by Europe, and perhaps by the rest of the world, until she is punished for her high crimes against international law.

The attitude of the German press at this stage is that of the brigand who imagines himself safe in his mountain lair. "What do we care for the opinion of the world?" one of the Berlin newspapers says. "It is we who will decide what is right and what is wrong. We will fix the standards of national morality and honor and make the other powers conform to them!" This cynical challenge merely confirms the determination of the allies to achieve the downfall of the German empire and intensifies the hope of every neutral power which cherishes its good name that they may be successful. A greater man than the Kaiser, a man in comparison with whom even Frederick the Great was a minor actor on the world's stage, failed because he permitted himself to be guided by that fatuous doctrine of which Potsdam is the regnant expression. Great Britain determined that his sun should set and never be deviated from her purpose for twenty years, although in that time she was engaged in other wars. She has enlisted for this war in the same far-sighted,

methodical manner, and will not call a halt as long as a solitary German stands in the way of the complete downfall of the vile Prussian system and the dynasty which champions it.

PRUSSIA AND BAVARIA.

While all the states which belong to the German confederation have given generously of their sons to fight for the Kaiser, the bond which unites them might be found to be very brittle in the case of a defeat. The Bavarian, for instance, has no love for the Prussian. When the German empire was proclaimed at Versailles, forty-three years ago, it was the wish of the King of Prussia, Bismarck and other Prussian notables that William should be crowned Emperor of Germany. It was the Bavarian opposition to this style which caused the idea to be abandoned. The Bavarian view was that such a title would imply that Bavaria, one of the greatest of the German states, having its own ruler whose lineage was as ancient and illustrious as that of the Hohenzollerns, had acknowledged its subordination to a Prussian king.

Some time ago the Kaiser in an address to recruits at Kiel urged them to fight valiantly against foes within the Fatherland as well as those outside its borders. At the conclusion of his speech he proceeded to interview some of the recruits, the first thus honored being a stolid peasant from a remote part of Bavaria. "Who are our chief foreign foes?" he was asked. "The Russians and the French, your Majesty." "And who are the enemies within the empire?" proceeded Wilhelm, expecting, of course, to be told that they were the Socialists. "The Prussians, your Majesty." When the storm of rage with which this reply filled the Emperor's bosom had subsided, he found that it had been given in perfect innocence and good faith.

In the early stages of the war Bavarian soldiers were among the invaders of Belgium, but they plainly were displeased with the brutal work in which they were engaged. The Queen of the Belgians is a Bavarian Princess, Belgium like Bavaria is a Roman Catholic state, and the feeling between the Prussian and Bavarian soldiers became so tense that the latter were withdrawn and sent south to attack Verdun. It is notorious, also, that the soldiers of the south German states have been used where the casualties were greatest. Whatever happens, Prussian emperor intends that his own army shall remain as intact as possible. He means to hold the whip hand not only in Europe but in Germany. Before this war is over the tie which knits the German confederacy will be subjected to the severest test.

UNITED STATES AND GERMANY.

In spite of the vigorous and in some respects skilful campaign conducted by German apologists in the United States to enlist the sympathy of the American people, it is quite apparent to observers that sentiment against the Kaiser's cause is growing stronger every day. To the charges that the war was forced upon Germany out of sheer malice and envy there comes but one answer in the form of questions which carry the strongest condemnation: "How came your soldiers to be in Belgium in violation of the solemn pledge of your nation? Why have you contravened the rules of civilized warfare to crush an innocent bystander whose involuntarily you were sworn to protect?" These queries never have been answered to the satisfaction of the American people. Besides, they already have the authoritative statement of the German chancellor: "We know that in entering Belgium we have been guilty of a great wrong, but it was necessary that we should back our way through somehow, and necessity knows no law." This infamous declaration appeared in both the official and semi-official German newspapers which reported the proceedings in the Reichstag and was passed by the German censor, so it is useless to attempt to dispute the accuracy of the report.

The representative United States view is fairly and candidly set forth by a distinguished American, Dr. Charles W. Elliott, former president of Harvard University, in the New York Times. Dr. Elliott speaks highly of many qualities of the German people and of their contributions to learning and science, but adds:

"It would be a serious mistake to suppose that Americans feel that hostility or jealousy toward Germany, or fail to recognize the immense obligations under which she has placed all the rest of the world, although they now feel that the German nation has been going wrong in theoretical and practical politics for more than a hundred years, and is to-day reaping the consequences of her own wrong-thinking and wrong-doing."

He then points out that the Prussian system of military domination which justifies the doctrine that might makes right has poisoned the fountain of German thought and policy, which explains the inability of German professors and other publicists to understand why "the whole weight of American public opinion is on the side

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per ton delivered.

—the fuel which you are eventually going to use in your kitchen range in place of high-priced CORD WOOD or WET MILL WOOD. It will give you a better, cleaner and quicker fire than any wood you ever used. It is not necessary for you to take our word for this, but try it on our MONEY-BACK guarantee.

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of the allies." The reasons are to be found in the political and social history of the American people. The two nations differ in matters of fundamental principle. Dr. Elliott concludes his letter as follows:

"Thoughtful Americans can see but one possible issue of the struggle, whether it be long or short, namely, the defeat of Germany and Austria-Hungary in their present undertakings, and the abandonment by both peoples of the doctrine that their salvation depends on militarism and the maintenance of autocratic executives entrusted with the power and the means to make sudden war. They believe that no human being should ever be trusted with such power. The alternative is, of course, genuine constitutional government, with the military power subject to the civil power."

In various forms the German system under which the military element has been kept outside the control of the people has been found by every empire that went to the dust to be a disastrous failure. It is an anachronism in this century, and the armed forces of the Kaiser, backed by a people who in constitutional government never got beyond the middle ages, are making a last stand behind the drawbridge and moat. The United States knows that in this war the allies are fighting the battle of democracy—her battle as well as theirs—and that there can be no security for the world until the last stronghold of military autocracy, which is merely barbarism promulgating in a uniform, is taken.

The extract from an editorial note expressing satisfaction that Lloyd George was not First Lord of the Admiralty was credited to the Montreal Herald in our comment last Saturday. It should have been credited to the Montreal Mail. The Herald, like the Times and most people throughout the empire, believes that Lloyd George would make good in any position.

THE MOTHER TO THE KAISER.

You ask me, am I not a patriot? No! I tell you, it means that I am damned.
I will not loose my hand to let my son die for the pleasure of your cursed land!
God gave me him; I bore him as I should, And laughed in pain, though tortured through and through;
I worked, I starved, I slaved that he might live,
And now you wish my boy to die for you.
It is not fair, no one can make it right, That you should take what you can never give.
Our children's blood is something more to us Than just to pour into your reddened sieve.
Weak mothers through the years have bowed their heads,
And at your will relinquished all their hold,
And meekly said, "The Lord must have His will."
'Tis not the Lord! 'Tis thine, "Assassin Bold."
You, for your glory, in your people's name
"Demand," not ask, the awful, awful toll.
You drag your nation to eternal shame,
And flout a blood-stained flag upon a pole.
You ask me, am I not a patriot? No! I leave the land subservient to your whim;
My father's Emperor is mine no more.
I have a son; my country is in him.
SARAH LATCHWORTH.
California, U. S. A.

FOUR IN ONE.

Ladies' Home Journal.
The youth had been asked to write examples of the indicative, subjunctive and potential moods and an exclamatory sentence. This is what he produced:
"I am trying to pass an English examination. If I answer twenty questions I shall pass. Heaven help me!"

AMERICAN SOCIETY MEETING.

Another meeting of the above society will be held in the parlors of the Dominion hotel this evening.

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED

Choose Your Overcoat

From the Largest Stock of Best Values in Victoria

It's no boast on our part when we say we have the largest and best stock of men's, youths' and boys' Overcoats in Victoria, but it may be of satisfaction to you, especially if you are particular to know that you can come to our men's clothing store on the main floor and pick out the very Overcoat you have set your heart on having this Fall, and know that the value is unsurpassed for style, quality or price.

In choosing our stock of Overcoats we sought to include every style that will be most favored this Fall, so that the most particular, as well as the most conservative, should find in our assortment the very coat that he needs, and the one that will suit his figure best.

We have the three-quarter light weight Coats, full length Coats in heavy chinchillas, tweeds and beavers. Some with shawl collars, others made in the popular two-ways, and you can also choose from single and double-breasted styles. Prices for men's and youths', from \$12.50 to \$25.00.

Prices for Boys' Overcoats from \$4.50 to \$15.



—Main Floor

For Style and Quality This Range of Women's Coats Surpasses Anything We've Yet Offered at \$20

That is a bold statement to make when you consider the thousands of women's Coats we have offered at this price. But we are prepared to stand by that assertion and we believe that when you examine the superior materials, styles and workmanship that's put into these Coats you will confirm that statement, too. There's the cape coat, the ripple effects, the new Balmacaan, as well as the plain tailored styles, and you can choose from novelty tweeds, in various shades; plaids, curl cloths and plain clothes; almost any color that you may fancy, while better values at this price cannot be bought in western Canada.

New Balmacaan Coats in Curl Cloths. Special at \$15.00

Balmacaan Coats in curl cloths are the rage just now, and most fashionably so, too. We have a particularly good offering at this price in various colors, but should we not have your particular size in stock we will make up in our own workrooms a Coat in the same style and quality materials for you, guaranteeing perfect fit, for the same price.

—First Floor

Smart New Styles in Ladies' Waists Selling at \$1 and \$1.25

A new shipment of Ladies' Waists that reveal the trend of fashion for vestee and basque effects. These new styles are certainly very smart.

Waist of Figured Vesting, with plique Gladstone collar and turn-back cuffs. Special at \$1.00

Waist of White Linens, tucked front, turned-down flat collar, neatly embroidered, and cuffs trimmed to match. Good value for only \$1.00

Cape Waist with yoke and vest effect outlined, plique collar and cuffs, trimmed with fancy buttons and silk cord and tassel. Splendid value for \$1.25
White Voile Waist in basque effect of striped plique in various colors. Pretty fancy colored buttons. Special at \$1.25

—First Floor

Suitable Draperies to Brighten Your Home for the Winter

The dull days of winter are upon us and most housewives are preparing suitable draperies that will add a tone of warmth and cheerfulness to the home. A visit to our drapery and curtain department on first floor will enable you to inspect many very pretty new designs and colorings in various materials, not only suitable for window draperies but for recovering furniture as well. For instance:

Tapestries in an excellent range of patterns and colorings, suitable for covering furniture, also for draperies, all double widths, at prices ranging from, per yard, 75c to \$4.50

Lace Curtains are a specialty with us, and we can show you an excellent range of designs and qualities. At \$2.00 we have a particularly good offering in real Nottingham lace. These are warranted to give good hard wear, and it's a quality that will wash and launder well. 50 inches wide, 3 yards long. Special, per pair \$2.00

Heavy Serges and Velours make up into warm, cosy curtains for the winter. They help to keep the draughts out, too. We can show you a full range of colors and some very smart designs, from, per yard, 65c to \$4.50

Cretonnes, in a splendid selection of high-grade washing qualities, and you can choose from conventional, stripe and allover artistic effects. All 31 inches wide, at, per yard, 50¢

—First Floor

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED

BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Wm. Stewart, Men's and Ladies' Tailor shop, Campbell building, corner Fort and Douglas streets.

S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921; Secretary, L1738.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

The B. C. Funeral Co.—Always open. Private parlors and large chapel. Reasonable charges for all services. 734 Broughton street.

For Fire, marine, automobile, liability, sickness and accident, plate glass, elevator and employers' liability, consult Gillespie, Hart & Todd, general agents for British Columbia. All claims settled and paid by our office.

A Large Dental Practice—built strictly on business principles which represent an honest effort, good material and a guaranteed result. Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government St.

SANDS Funeral Furnishing Co., Limited, Funeral Directors and Licensed Embalmers. You will find our charges reasonable. Prompt and courteous service day or night. Phone 3306. Lady in attendance, 1515 Quadra street.

Ohlson's Roses are the best.

Montrose Rooms.—Bisshard street, are exceptionally well ventilated and heated. If looking for a bright cosy room for the winter months it will pay you to examine these. Special low rates are being asked.

A Comfortable Home at special winter rates. Phone 2304, James Bay hotel.

Are Your Teeth Sound—If not come in and let me examine them. Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government St.

Hanna & Thomson, Phone 498, Funeral Directors, 827 Pandora avenue. The expense of a funeral is a matter of your own desire. We attend to every detail of arrangements. Our home-like chapel free to our patrons. Lady attendant if desired. Calls day or night promptly attended.

Prof. Plowright's Mandolin Orchestra at the Bon-Ton Saturday evenings.

A Reliable Dentist—One who will guarantee all his work. Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government St. Open evenings.

The James Bay Hotel is offering special rates for the winter. Phone 2304.

Painless Methods—for the extraction of Teeth. Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government St. Open evenings.

Phoenix Stout, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

Lawn Mower Hospital, 614 Cormorant. Successful operations daily.

Save by buying your Hardware and Groceries at The Shore Hardware company.

Red Conditions in a Fire Insurance Policy means exceptions to British Columbia statutory form of policy. One "Red Condition," in event of loss, may prevent you from obtaining your money. J. L. Hackett, General Agent, Svea Insurance Company, 115 Campbell Bldg., Phone 1980.

If You Want a Truck or Express Wagon, phone 693, Cameron & Caldwell. Phone 693, 820 Johnson.

The Coming Winter.—Will it be a case of roaming the streets looking for a job, while you spend your few dollars renting a room and eating at restaurants? Or will you join the number who are already in the country carving out a home for themselves, where every day's work is improving their land is a cash deposit in the safest of banks? That they did not take advantage of the exceptional facilities we offer the landless man is the regret our settlers have. We control thousands of acres of good, well-watered land close to the railway between Parksville and Courtenay. Come to our office for particulars.—Vancouver Island Fruit Lndrs. Ltd., general agents, Carmichael & Moorhouse, Ltd., 608 Belmont House, Victoria, B. C.

"Board Companies and Losses Paid" motto. Hackett, Campbell Building. Phone 1980.

Eat Munroe's Bread at the Bon-Ton.

Fire Insurance in Board Companies Only.—J. L. Hackett, General Agent, Campbell Bldg., Phone 1980.

Caught in the Act.—The rat was caught in the act of devouring the bait in the "Hold Em" Rat Cage. It is always set, will catch and hold a dozen rats. 90c each. R. A. Brown & Co's, 1302 Douglas St.

Thanks of Hospital.—The Women's Auxiliary of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital wishes to express thanks to the friends in Victoria who helped in various ways, either by gifts or service, to make the linen shower held last Friday the gratifying success it was.

Karluk Survivors.—John Munro, chief engineer of the Karluk, who was, with others, rescued by the United States revenue cutter Bear from the camp they had made on Wrangel island, has written to friends in this city. He is still on the Bear and the time of the arrival of the survivors here is uncertain yet. He says their existence was a precarious one until the arrival of help, and food was often very scarce. Mr. Munro speaks highly of the hospitality of Captain Cochran and officers of the Bear.

Gutted by Fire.—Fire, which is believed to have been of incendiary origin, destroyed the partially-completed residence of G. E. Stokes, at 2734 Graham street, last night. The place was gutted, the fire department being unable to do anything, as the flames had control by the time the men arrived on the scene. The damage is estimated at about \$2,000. On June 30 a building permit was issued for a house costing \$3,000 at the address, and workmen have since been engaged in construction.

Baptist Young People Meet.—The regular meeting of the Young People's Society of the First Baptist church was held last evening in the schoolroom, corner of Quadra and Yates streets, the hall being well-filled with members and friends and the principal feature of the evening being a very excellent paper on "The Idylls of the King" by Harold Beckwith. In addition to this, however, there were some musical selections by a picked quartette, which were much enjoyed, and short reading by one of the members.

Tabernacle Church Social.—The Thanksgiving social held last evening at the Tabernacle Baptist church was preceded by a short service of prayer and praise led by Dr. Cameron, who cordially welcomed those present. During the services Rev. McIntyre, of Winnipeg, secretary of the Baptist union, delivered an interesting address on the subject of the present European war, its causes and cure, referring to the financial stringency of the time and to the good which would follow as the result of the war. A vocal solo was furnished by Mr. McKay and later in the proceedings a delightful informal programme of songs and recitations was given. A committee of ladies, consisting of Mesdames Turner, Bagshawe and Johnson, served delicious refreshments, and the successful proceeding concluded with the singing of God Save the King.

Wesley Church Social.—A very successful programme was given at the Thanksgiving social at Wesley Methodist church last evening, the big hall being well-filled for the occasion, and delightful refreshments being served during the proceedings. The following assisted on the programme: The Misses M. Beattie and Vera Collins, with an instrumental duet; a chorus by children of the Sunday school; recitations by Miss Clara Terro, Miss Madge Daniels, Mr. Radway and Mrs. Johnson and A. T. Wright; guitar and mandolin duet by Messrs. Welsh and Neelands; a cornet solo by Bert Young; and a violin selection by Alec Daniels. A selection which pleased immensely was the reading of "When the Frost is on the Pumpkin" by the pastor, Rev. S. J. Thompson, who cleverly interpreted the inimitable humor of James Whitcomb Riley in his inflections and gestures. A liberal offering was taken up in behalf of the Ladies' Aid society during the evening.

This Xmas photographs will be particularly appropriate for presents. For the month of October the Skene Lowe studio will reduce the price of Corona portraits in embossed folders from \$7.00 to \$5.25 per dozen. Next month the price will again be \$7.00. Corner Douglas and Yates Street.

NO SENTENCES IMPOSED

Thomas Gillings to Receive Suspended Sentence on Giving Bond for Good Conduct.

Sentence day in the assizes was not productive of any sentences. Mr. Justice Gregory intimated to Thomas Gillings, found guilty a few days ago of uttering seditious words, that he would suspend sentence if security for good behavior could be given for two years. Dock and On Hink, found guilty of highway robbery, were remanded for sentence until Thursday at 12 o'clock as no interpreter was present in the court. His lordship intimated that no harm would be done by the remand, as both were going to jail. The Gillings case will come up then also.

Gillings is required to give \$2,000 personal security and three other sureties that he will be well-behaved for two years. His lordship stated that in the event of this security being given sentence would be suspended until any breach of good conduct, when the accused would be brought to court and given the maximum term for the offence, two years.

SOLDIERS' THANKSGIVING

Committee Provided 2195 Pounds of Turkey for Dinners Yesterday; More Funds Needed.

The committee appointed to arrange for the purchase of turkeys for the soldiers' Thanksgiving dinner reports the following subscriptions to the fund:

Rev. Dr. Campbell	\$25.00
Dr. T. J. Jones	5.00
Anonymous	5.00
Joshua Kingham	25.00
B. S. Heisterman	5.00
Dr. J. L. Thompson	5.00
Col. the Hon. E. C. Prior	5.00
L. Goodacre	25.00
Major Stewart	25.00
Leut. Col. Coy	25.00
Duncan Ross	50.00
John Hart	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. D. B. McLaren	25.00
Mr. Justice Irving	25.00
W. Fitzhugh Bullen	25.00
A. Bartlett	5.00
Andrew Wright	25.00
W. A. Leithwaite	12.50
Mr. Justice Gallinger	10.00
Mr. Justice Macdonald	25.00
Hon. Wm. Templeman	25.00
Chief Justice Macdonald	5.00
Mr. Justice Gregory	10.00
J. W. Morris	10.00
D'Arcy Tate	25.00

The committee purchased 2195 pounds of turkey at 25 cents a pound, a total of \$548.75. There is thus a deficit of \$67.55. The committee will gratefully acknowledge any further subscriptions to wipe out this deficit. Subscriptions may be picked up at the office of J. Kingham, Broad street.

The Umbrella Shop, 610 Pandora St.

Building Permit.—A building permit has been issued to J. Foubister for a house at 2532 Fifth street, to cost \$1,800.

Tests Continued.—Chief Davis continued to-day the engine tests which were started last week to determine the capacity and steaming qualities of the engines belonging to the fire department.

Did Not Appear.—The informant failed to appear in the case in which Wong Sing was charged with assault, but at the request of J. C. McIntosh, counsel for the defence, the magistrate ordered the charge withdrawn.

Saanich Works Committee.—Little beyond routine business will be done by the works committee of the Saanich council this evening. Until additional revenue is available from payment of taxes, etc., the amount of money on hand for public work is limited.

Supplies Information.—Commissioner Cuthbert this morning supplied Frank W. Fox, chief of the press bureau of the Canadian Pacific railway, with much information and many views of Victoria for use in the numerous publications of the greatest British railway company.

Nanaimo Assizes.—W. H. Bullock-Webster has gone to Nanaimo to prosecute at the assize court which opened there this morning. The two cases are a Jordan River murder charge, and the notable Ladysmith dynamiting case of last August in which William Jackson and Mike Adams are accused attempting to murder Alexander McKinnon.

Result of Misunderstanding.—The charge against the two young men accused of stealing a motor car belonging to F. A. Graham, of Graham, Warren & Co., was withdrawn in the police court this morning, after the informant had stated that the information had been laid through a misunderstanding. It appears that one of the youths was a relation of one of the members of the firm.

Elected Vice-President.—The secretary of the western branch of the Canadian Mining institute this morning received notification of the election of M. E. Purcell, of Rossland, superintendent of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co.'s Centre Star group of mines, as a vice-president of the institute in the place of W. J. Sutton, of Victoria, chief inspector of mines for British Columbia, who has been elected a councillor of the institute, filling the vacancy caused by Mr. Purcell's election as a vice-president.

Social Evening Enjoyed.—The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Andrew's and Caledonian society, which was held last evening in the A. O. F. hall, Broad street, was featured by a very successful social and dance at the conclusion of the business proceedings. The president, Miss Angus, presided at the business meeting, which was attended by about 50 members. The principal matter dealt with being the installation of two officers by Past-President McIntosh and C. Gordon Stewart (installing marshal), and the initiation of seven new members. The Thanksgiving dance which followed the business meeting was attended by over 100 members and friends. Mrs. Ridgair's orchestra supplying excellent music and the proceedings concluding about 1 o'clock with "Auld Lang Syne" and The National Anthem.

REMARKABLE CASE of Mrs. HAM

Declares Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Saved Her Life and Sanity.

Shamrock, Mo.—"I feel it my duty to tell the public the condition of my health before using your medicine. I had falling, inflammation, female weakness, pains in both sides, backaches and bearing down pains, was short of memory, nervous, impatient, passed sleepless nights, and had neither strength nor energy. There was always a fear and dread in my mind, I had cold, nervous, weak spells, hot flashes over my body. I had a place in my right side that was so sore that I could hardly bear the weight of my clothes. I tried medicines and doctors, but they did me little good, and I never expected to get out again. I got Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier, and I certainly would have been in grave or in an asylum if your medicines had not saved me. But now I can work all day, sleep well at night, eat anything I want, have no hot flashes or weak, nervous spells. All pains, aches, fears and dreads are gone, my house, children and husband are no longer neglected, as I am almost entirely free of the bad symptoms I had before taking your remedies, and all is pleasure and happiness in my life."—Mrs. JOSIE HAM, R. F. D. 1, Box 22, Shamrock, Missouri.

If you want special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass.

MAKING PREPARATIONS FOR THE EXHIBITION

Plans for Made-in-Victoria Event Next Week Will Stimulate Industries Here

No stone is to be left unturned to make the Made-in-Victoria exhibition next week a success. Not only are several committees and other bodies holding meetings this week to further the preparations for the event, but steps are being taken to urge on the merchants, both wholesale and retail, the desirability of pushing locally-made goods in the stores. Both employers and employees have been invited to give their support to this laudable movement and a meeting of the industries committee of the Victoria and Island Development association and the retail and wholesale merchants this afternoon will be followed by a meeting of the committee and the Retail Employees' association later in the week. The plan of handling Victoria-made goods on the counters before all other classes or articles is a natural complement of the proposed exhibition, and the whole proposal is confidently expected to meet the fullest measure of public approbation.

Larger payrolls, less unemployment, cause and effect, is the slogan of the committee, and to bring the matter before the public the exhibition is being arranged, a large number of the firms having promised approval and support, either as members of the B. C. Manufacturers' association, or as individual firms. It is felt that there will be a gratifying increase in the sale of locally-made articles when there is the sympathetic support on the part of the merchants in handling the goods in such a way as to draw the attention of the consumers to them. The data already collected by the Development association from manufacturers shows that there were a great many more people employed here before the depressed conditions began than the average citizen realized, and that men now idle can be put back to work without increase of capital or outlay on additional plant, is indicated by an inspection of the information gathered in reply to inquiries from the office. Victorians can produce as good an article as the imported one, given only the support of the consumer.

MELODRAMA DRAWS WELL

"From Sire to Son" Excellently Presented at Princess Theatre by Allen Players.

A splendid melodrama, which possesses the very desirable power of sustaining to the last the interest of the audience, is that being presented this week at the Princess theatre by the Allen Players. "From Sire to Son" may be technically faulty in places, as, for instance, in the one or two over-long and somewhat involved bits of monologue in act 3, but the general construction of the play is excellent, and a big audience last evening followed the unravelling of the plot to its conclusion with keen relish.

The fact that Jonas Hardy murdered his partner's wife and stole the beautiful daughter while she was still almost too young to remember her parents would in itself make an interesting plot; but that the murderer should pose as the child's father, educate her carefully, and then, when she grew to beautiful young womanhood, fall in love with her, makes for an intensely dramatic story which is cleverly handled in the four-act play which moves through such diverse scenes as

The World Would Miss Columbia Products



Yes, if the world were to be deprived to-day—this instant—of all the Columbia instruments and Columbia records that have brought cheer and joy and happiness to hundreds of thousands of people everywhere these past years, HOW THEY WOULD BE MISSED!

And yet, perhaps, YOU, reader, have not yet learned what good fun the Columbia is. The Columbia is always equal to the occasion; it is never shy, it never has a cold; it is never out of sorts; it is never too tired to sing or play or talk; it is EVER READY to amuse you and your friends. Have it with you always at home. It will never fail you.

Columbias are made in a wide variety of styles, sizes and types at divergent prices that will suit practically every pocket. And we sell them on terms that can be made so easy as to cause no inconvenience whatsoever. You should call and hear the Columbia this week.

FLETCHER BROS.

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Never Was a Sale of Made-to-Order Suits Like This

Ladies' and Gents' Imported Suitings from which we will make

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CHARLIE HOPE

1434 Government Street. Phone 2689

California in the early '60's. Venice, and an old castle on the Rialto.

In the double role of the young mother and, later, the daughter of John Oakley (Irving Kennedy), Miss Verna Felton was given some highly melodramatic lines which she cleverly delivered, while Irving Kennedy was responsible for a startlingly fine bit of acting in the second act as the dumb man suddenly released from his bonds of speechlessness. The unhappy honors of the chief villain fell to Norman Feussler, who gave a finished interpretation of Jones Hardy, while a minor villain's role fell to Charles Connors. Dr. Mandrake, grasping but honorable in his way, was impersonated with character by Biron Eagan. Arthur Kench as his son doing some good acting with Mrs. P. R. Allen and Miss Lillian Fisher (as mother and daughter respectively), who were excellent.

Auction Sale of Real Property and Buildings

Under instructions from His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, I will sell by Public Auction at the City Council Chambers, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., on Thursday, the 15th October, 1914, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., the following described real property and houses situate in the City of Victoria.

REAL PROPERTY
PANDORA STREET.

- Part of lots 25 and 26 of section 24-27 Spring Ridge, Map 309 (96.5 ft. by 91.3 ft. approximately), containing 8,814 square feet more or less, together with the two-story dwelling known as 1219 Pandora street.
- Part of lots 23 and 24 of sub lot 39 in sections 74 and 75, Fernwood Estate, Map 164 (120.6 ft. by 89 ft. approximately), containing 10,750 square feet more or less, together with the two-story dwelling known as 1517 Fernwood road.
- Part of lot 19 of sub lot 39 in sections 74 and 75, Fernwood Estate, Map 164 (50.8 ft. by 60.3 ft.), corner Harrison and Pandora streets, containing 3,055 square feet more or less, together with the one and a half story dwelling known as 1361 Pandora street.
- Part of lot 17 of sub lots 35 and 35a, Fernwood Estate, Map 153 (23.25 ft. by 122 ft. approximately), Harrison and Pandora streets, containing 3,159 square feet more or less.
- Triangular part of lot 1 in lots 23 and 24, sections 74 and 75, Fernwood Estate, Map 749, 95 feet frontage on Stanley Ave., corner of Pandora, containing 4,549 square feet more or less, together with the two-story dwelling known as 1432 Stanley avenue.
- Part of lot 28 in lots 33 and 34, Fernwood Estate, Map 628, 24.45 feet frontage on Stanley avenue, containing 1,385 square feet more or less.
- Part of lot 29 in lots 33 and 34, Fernwood Estate, Map 628, having 9 feet frontage on Stanley avenue, and containing 1,556 square feet more or less.
- Part of lot 4 of lot 22, section 75, Map 109, having a frontage of 4 feet on Elford street and a back width of 17.65 feet, and containing 1,130 square feet more or less.
- Part of lot 4 of lot 22, section 75, Map 109, having a frontage of 4 feet on Elford street, and containing 2,320 square feet more or less.
- Part of lot 5 in lots 30 and 31, Fernwood Estate, Map 986, having a frontage of 62.2 feet on Pandora avenue Extension, and containing 5,625 square feet more or less.
- Part of lot 6 of lots 30 and 31, Fernwood Estate, Map 986, containing 99 square feet more or less.
- Part of lot 6 of lots 30 and 31, Fernwood Estate, Map 986, having a frontage of 62.2 feet on Pandora avenue Extension, and containing 4,919 square feet more or less.
- Part of lot 7 of lots 30 and 31, Fernwood Estate, Map 986, having a frontage of 62.2 feet on Pandora avenue Extension, and containing 2,419 square feet more or less.
- Part of lot 7 of lots 30 and 31, Fernwood Estate, Map 986, having a frontage of 62.2 feet on Pandora avenue Extension, and containing 1,336 square feet more or less.
- Part of lot 8 of lots 30 and 31, Fernwood Estate, Map 986, having a frontage of 62.2 feet on Pandora avenue Extension, and containing 473 square feet more or less.
- Part of lot 8 of lots 30 and 31, Fernwood Estate, Map 986, having a frontage on Pandora avenue Extension of 49.9 feet, and containing 2,804 square feet more or less.
- The whole of lot 9 of lots 30 and 31, Fernwood Estate, Map 986, situate on Belmont avenue, size 54 by 121 ft. more or less.
- The whole of lot 10 of lots 30 and 31, Fernwood Estate, Map 986, situate on Belmont avenue, size 54 by 121 ft. more or less.
- Part of lot 11 of lots 30 and 31, Fernwood Estate, Map 986, having a frontage of 24.95 feet on Pandora avenue Extension, and containing 6,309 square feet more or less.
- Part of lot 12 of lots 30 and 31, Fernwood Estate, Map 986, having a frontage of 62.7 feet on Pandora avenue Extension, and containing 5,144 square feet more or less.
- Part of lot 39 of lot 37, Fairfield Farm Estate, Map 324, size 49 ft. by 65.1 feet, and containing 3,204.6 square feet more or less.
- PORT AND MOSS STREETS.
- Parts of acre lots 1 and 2, Spring Ridge, having a frontage of 17.4 (more or less) feet on Fort street, and containing 4,371 square feet more or less.

BUILDINGS ONLY

- No. 1375 Pandora street, one and a half story dwelling.
- No. 1577 Pandora street, one and a half story dwelling.
- No. 1425 Stanley avenue, one and a half story dwelling.
- No. 1179 Stanley avenue, two-story dwelling.
- No. 1522 Elford street, one and a half story dwelling.
- No. 2206 Belmont avenue, one story dwelling.
- No. 2201 Shakespeare street, one and a half story dwelling.
- No. 2202 Howard street, one story dwelling.

TERMS OF SALE
Ten per cent. of purchase price of real property (that is land or land with buildings) to be paid at time of sale, and the balance on completion of deeds, and spot cash, where houses are sold separately.

Houses, where sold with land, are to be moved back to the satisfaction of the City Engineer, or if only a house is sold same must be moved away within two months from time of sale.

Plans and description can be seen at my office, City Hall.

EDWIN C. SMITH,
Treasurer of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.
Victoria, B. C., October 8, 1914.

NOTICE TO PRINTERS.
Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before Monday, the 19th instant, at 4 p. m., for printing and binding the Municipal Voters' List for the City of Victoria for the year 1915. Specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

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City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Oct. 8, 1914.

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The Council of the Municipality of Oak Bay will act as a Committee for collection, with power to add to its number. All sums collected will be deposited in a special Municipal Trust Account with the Merchants Bank of Canada, Oak Bay. All citizens of Oak Bay are invited to contribute to the Fund according to their means, with the assurance that whatever they can afford to give will be applied to the above Patriotic purpose only and to no other.

For the Committee of Collection,
W. E. OLIVER,
Reeve of the Municipality of Oak Bay.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Notice is hereby given that Charles Dickinson and George Jenkinson, carrying on business together at 2420 Government street, in the City of Victoria, B. C., as "Dickinson, Jenkinson & Co." have, by deed of Assignment dated the 10th day of October, 1914, assigned all their real estate, personal estate, credits and effects, which may be seized and sold under execution, to me, George Wallace Anthony, of Suite 40, Jones Building, Fort Street, Victoria, B. C., Accountant. And further take notice that a meeting of creditors will be held at my said address on Monday, the 26th day of October, 1914, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of discussing estate affairs.

All creditors are further required to file with me particulars of their claims and the nature of securities, if any, held by them, as required by law, on or before the 10th November, 1914, after which date I, as Assignee, will proceed to distribute the estate, having regard only to such claims as shall be then before me.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 10th day of October, 1914.

G. W. ANTHONY,
Assignee.

WILL MEET TO-MORROW

City School Board Will Probably Settle Arrangements for Night Schools.

The two principal questions the city school board will consider to-morrow evening at the monthly meeting will be the right school question and the construction of the joint domestic science and manual training building for South Park school.

A schedule of classes for the night school has been prepared and is ready for advertisement. Unless there is promise that the attendance in the classes will not fall below an average of ten per evening, the classes will not be started. They will all be held in the high school instead of being scattered in various quarters as last year.

It is thought there is enough money on hand from the proceeds of recent loans for the construction of the annex at South Park school. As the children from the southern suburbs have to come into the centre of the town for manual training and domestic science facilities, it is recognized that they have an exceptional claim for attention. The cost will be about \$3,000. J. C. M. Keith was some time ago instructed to prepare plans and specifications.

Possibly a report may be ready on the percentage of pupils in the city schools who come from the city and from points outside. The trustees wish to know to what extent the city schools are being taken advantage of by the children of Saanich, Oak Bay and Esquimalt.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

George A. McIntyre, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress hotel.

Miss Jarvis, of Brooklyn, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

R. Alton, registered from Calgary this morning at the Dominion hotel.

D. O. Ritchie, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

A. C. Powers, of Waukesha, is among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

P. Pigeon, of Ashcroft, is staying at the Dominion hotel for a few days.

R. W. Clark is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.

A. F. Wallace, of Duncan, registered at the Dominion hotel on the holiday.

Thomas W. Laslett registered at the Dominion hotel to-day from Vancouver.

E. E. Summers is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.

Mrs. F. H. Price is staying at the Strathcona hotel while here from Duncan.

W. N. H. Hood is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Toronto to-day.

F. E. Abbott is here from Toronto and is a guest at the King Edward hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Sands, of Vancouver, are registered at the Empress hotel.

A. E. Altmyer, of New York, is registered at the Empress hotel for a short time.

D. Wilson is staying at the King Edward hotel while in the capital from Seattle.

Miss M. Milnes is here from Vancouver and is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

R. D. Starling and J. Hermann, both of Los Angeles, are staying at the Empress hotel.

A. Bowerman and Mrs. Bowerman, of Saskatoon, are registered at the Dominion hotel.

F. L. Thomas is among the Vancouver residents registered at the King Edward hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abel are among the guests at the Empress hotel from San Jose, Cal.

F. C. Mitchell is a guest at the King Edward hotel while in the city from Telegraph Creek.

W. Miller Higgs is a guest at the Strathcona hotel while visiting the capital from Sooke.

R. Moncrieff and Mrs. Moncrieff, of Vancouver, are among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

E. A. Purkis arrived in the city this morning from Toronto and is stopping at the Empress hotel.

Sir Richard McBride, who went on from Ottawa to New York, will not be home for a week or so.

C. W. Richardson arrived in the city yesterday from Edmonton and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

H. D. Rind and party have arrived in the city from Montreal and are stopping at the Empress hotel.

J. Irvine came over on the night boat and registered at the Dominion hotel this morning from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Brereton are staying at the King Edward hotel, being on a visit to the capital from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Blackburn are visiting.

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AT THE THEATRES

"THE WHIP."

Up to the presentation in America of the great Drury Lane spectacle, "The Whip," coming to the Royal Victoria theatre Thursday and Friday, October 15 and 16, it was a byword in the world of theatricals that melodrama was a thing of the past. But this new colossal production which ran two years in London and a season at the Manhattan Opera House, New York, has proved that this was not true, for "The Whip" is the biggest melodramatic success in the history of the show business, and carries the largest production. The equipment for the production has traveled across the continent in five special cars, which carried also the dogs and horses that are used in the performance. There are over two hundred people in the cast and working crew, who put on and appear in thirteen massive scenes.

ANNETTE KELLERMANN.

Manager Denham of the Royal Victoria theatre, announces Annette Kellermann in "Nephtune's Daughter," the masterpiece film of the world, for two days, next Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 19 and 20, with a matinee each day. This photo-drama has seven reels, or to be exact 7,000 feet; there are 500 scenes; it takes two hours to show the picture. After four months at the Globe theatre, New York, is now running at the fine arts, Chicago, and twenty other companies are showing in all parts of the world. Critics say nothing better has ever been produced in photo-play and probably never will be. There will be only one show in the afternoon, at 2:30 p. m., and at night at 8:30 p. m. Annette Kellermann is world renowned as a swimmer and diver and the entertainment is most satisfying to all.

A PATRIOTIC SONG.

(By John A. Salt, O.M.H.)
Old England for ever! Old England for ever!

The land of the noble and brave!
The star of thy glory shall never
Be veiled by the gloom of the grave.
Thou long didst with nations contending
Feel all the sore joys of war;
But Liberty's banner are descending,
To light up for ever thy star.

Napoleon, who longed to confound thee,
Did see thee his rival alone;
He feared the oak walls which surround thee,
Nor dared he to grasp at thy throne.

Thy children, true hearted, none fearing,
Arose and their banners unfurled;
And strong as thy foes were appearing,
They liberty gave to the world.

And, roused like a lion to slaughter,
And moved by battlefield din,
Thy armies on land and on water
Fresh laurels for Britain shall win.

And now in the midst of thy glory,
That glory if thou must increase,
Heed not the rude visions of story,
But thine in the annals of peace.

For England, what force can withstand thee?
A nation true-hearted and free,
Let justice and valor command thee,
Then none shall be like unto thee.

But if the rude scourge of oppression,
With foulness should on thee descend,
'Tis right to maintain thy position,
And with the usurpers contend.

Old England! Old England for ever!
The land of the noble and brave,
The star of thy glory shall never
Be veiled by the gloom of the grave.

PITHY PARAGRAPHS

Rankin: "What's become of Smearson, the artist?" Phyle: "He is on Easy street now." Rankin: "How did he get his wealth?" Phyle: "Married a militant suffragette." Rankin: "Woman with money?" Phyle: "No, she didn't have a dollar." Rankin: "Well, then?" Phyle: "They made an arrangement by which she publicly slashed every picture he painted, and the advertising made him famous."

The soldiers were dining and ordering were hastening back and forth with pails of steaming soup. Wolsley stopped one of them and ordered him to remove the lid of his pail. The man obeyed promptly, and the general said: "Let me taste it." "But—" began the orderly. "Let me taste it, I say," exclaimed the general testily. "Disgraceful!" he exclaimed. "It's for all the world like dishwater." "That's what it is, sir," said the orderly, saluting gravely.

Gebhard von Blucher, the famous Prussian general field marshal, had as surgeon-major of his army a man who was very homesy, but extremely proud and vain. One day Blucher entered the surgeon's tent and found him standing before a looking-glass arranging his toilet and admiring himself generally. "Doctor," said Blucher, laughing, "I suppose that you are the luckiest man in the world?" "How is that, sir, may I ask?" "Why, here you are quite in love with yourself, and you haven't a single rival!"

Teachers at times receive some curious notes from parents—and others. One of the most original was brought to school one morning by a boy who, for the purposes of this story, shall be known as Tom Smith. Tom had been absent the day before, and the note was evidently written in extenuation thereof. In an evidently disguised but strangely familiar handwriting it ran as follows: "Dear Mr.—Please excuse Tommy been absent yesterday. I tore my pants.—Yours truly, Mrs. Smith."

Some time ago a couple went to a registrar to be married. The young man presented his marriage license, and the pair stood up for the ceremony. "Join hands," said the registrar. They did so, and the official looked at the document, which authorized him to unite in matrimony Zacharewitz, Perzyanski, and Leokowksi. "Ahem!" he said. "Zach-h-m-ski, do you take this woman," and so forth. "Yes, sir," responded the young man. "Leo-r-m-h-m-ski, do you take this man to be and

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SPORTING NEWS

BOBBY ROWE ACCEPTS TERMS

NEW LEAGUE LOOKS ASSURED

Norman Cook to Receive Try-out With Vancouver Team; Nationals After N. H. A. Stars

Bobby Rowe, is the first Victoria hockey player to return his signed contract to Manager Lester Patrick, but it is likely that the others will send in their agreements before very long. The documents were mailed last week and as the players have to report in a little over a month's time, they will not hang back very much in sending in their contracts. Transportation has to be sent to all of the players and as no railway tickets will be forwarded to the men without the contracts, Manager Patrick is confident that he will have all the players in line.

One of the new players who will be given a tryout by the Vancouver club is Norman Cook, the big Tabor, Alta., defence player who thinks he can make good with the Coast leaguers. Cook comes of a hockey family and is touted one of the best defence stars in the amateur game. Dick Irvine, the Winnipeg centre-player, is another who comes into the coast dragnet for a trial, and as there is to be little amateur hockey in Winnipeg this year, there will be little difficulty in securing a couple of the best puck chasers at the "Peg." Nothing has been heard from Geo. Kennedy yet as to the trade of Lalande for Veina, but the Vancouver

club will welcome the change at Veina is head and shoulders above any other net guardian in the east.

Montreal Oct. 12.—While the various N. H. A. magnates still refuse to admit that they are taking A. L. Caron's threat of a hockey war if room is not made for the Nationals in the N. H. A., at all seriously, it was learned that a meeting of the National Hockey association has been called this week. The object of the sudden gathering of the clans, it is stated, is to lay plans to fight the new organization.

A certain reluctance on the part of some of the Wanderer players to sign the contracts tendered them by the club, is said to have caused some alarm, and it is understood that the Wanderer holdouts are dickering with the Nationals' executive, with the idea of securing backing for an English team to make a fourth in Mr. Caron's new organization.

Sprague Cleghorn has refused to sign at the sum offered him, and Ode has also returned his contract unsigned. Art Ross is mentioned as being ready to jump into the new league at the head of an English-Canadian team. Ross is away on a shooting trip at the present time, but he is understood to be in close touch with the organizers of the new body here.

Mr. Caron stated that the Jubilee rink had been secured for the new league's fixtures. While he admitted that the Nationals were dickering with Newey Lalonde, he refused to say that the famous Canadian player had signed.

BOSTON WINS WORLD'S SERIES FOUR STRAIGHT

National Leaguers Establish New Record—Rudolph Beats Philadelphia To-day 3 to 1 in Errorless Ball at Fenway Park.

Fenway Park, Boston, Oct. 13.—For the first time in baseball history the world's series has been won and lost on four straight games. Boston made the record to-day by winning the fourth game from Philadelphia 3 to 1.

With Boston two runs ahead in the sixth Pennock went into the box for Philadelphia in place of Shawkey in an effort to stem the tide of defeat which was fast overwhelming the Athletics. Boston was unable to increase the score against Pennock, but Rudolph held the Athletics to blanks for the remaining four innings.

It was an errorless game.

Rudolph pitched a masterly game, winning his second contest of the series to-day. The Philadelphia team could not catch his elusive slow ball when hits would have sent runs over the plate. The Bostonians outgamed and outplayed their opponents to-day in every department of the sport. They clinched the victory in the fifth inning after two men were out with Rudolph's single. Moran's double and Evers' solid blow to centre. After the last man was out the Athletics rushed over and congratulated their rivals. The spectators went mad with joy and paraded the field, singing and cheering.

The lineup:

Boston—Moran, rf.; Evers, 2b.; Connelly, lf.; Whitted, cf.; Schmidt, 1b.; Gowdy, c.; Maranville, ss.; Deal, 3b.; Rudolph, p.

Philadelphia—Murphy, rf.; Oldring, lf.; Collins, 2b.; Baker, 3b.; McInnes, 1b.; Walsh, cf.; Barry, ss.; Schang, c.; Shawkey, p.

Philadelphia—Murphy out, Evers to Schmidt. Oldring sent up a high foul to Gowdy and got down. The Athletics were evidently not waiting Rudolph out, but hitting at the first ball pitched as the Boston pitcher was studying them over.

Collins singled over the middle station. Rudolph held Collins closely to the bag to prevent a steal. Baker out on a fly to Whitted. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Boston—Baker threw out Moran. Evers was given a good hand when he came to the plate. He was also out. Baker to McInnes, who made a nice pickup of Baker's low throw. Connelly flied out to Oldring. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Second Inning.

Philadelphia—Deal threw out McInnes, making a nice one-handed stop of McInnes' slow roller. Walsh doubled to left field fence. Connelly misjudged the ball. Maranville threw out Barry at first. Walsh holding second. Schang fanned. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Boston—Whitted lined out to Oldring. It was a wickedly hit ball, but Oldring was in the way. Shawkey threw out Schmidt. Gowdy walked. Barry took Maranville's grounder and tossed to Collins, forcing Gowdy. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Third Inning.

Philadelphia—Shawkey struck out on three pitched balls. Deal threw out Murphy. Deal took the ball near the bag and had to make a snap throw to get the runner. Oldring singled to centre. It was Oldring's first hit of the series. Oldring was out stealing. Gowdy to Maranville. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Boston—Deal flied out to Oldring. Rudolph was out, Barry to McInnes. Barry also took care of Moran, throwing him out at first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Fourth Inning.

Philadelphia—Evers threw out Collins at first. Umpire Byron cautioned the Boston players for coaching on the bench. Baker singled through Schmidt. The ball took a bad bound and struck Schmidt in the body. Play stopped for a minute until Schmidt could recover. McInnes singled to right, Baker going to third. McInnes was out trying to stretch his hit. Connelly to Deal to Evers. Walsh fanned. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Boston—Evers walked. Connelly was out, Collins to McInnes. Evers going to second. A double play was in sight, but Collins momentarily juggled the ball. Whitted got an infield hit, which bounced off Collins' leg. He was hurt and play was stopped. Evers took third on the play. With only one out, the Athletics played back for a double play. Evers scored on Schmidt's slow roller to Barry, who threw the runner out at first. Whitted took second on the play. Shawkey threw out Gowdy. One run, one hit, no errors.

Fifth Inning.

Philadelphia—Barry got an infield hit, his first of the series. Evers threw out Schang. Barry got to second. It was an attempted hit-and-run play. Barry scored on Shawkey's double to the left field fence. Evers threw out Murphy. Shawkey went to third. Oldring fanned. One run, two hits, no errors.

Boston—Barry took care of Maranville at first. Shawkey gave Deal three balls and then put over two strikes. Deal went out, Baker to McInnes. Rudolph shot a hot single to centre. Moran doubled to left. Rudolph going to third. Rudolph and Moran scored on Evers' single over second. Evers was picked off first. Shawkey to McInnes. Two runs, three hits, no errors.

Sixth Inning.

Philadelphia—Maranville cut down Collins' blow over second and threw him out at first. It was a great play. Baker fouled out to Deal. Maranville

threw out McInnes. Another good play. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Seventh Inning.

Philadelphia—Mann went to left field in place of Connelly. Welsh walked. On a wild pitch, Walsh went to second. Barry fanned and Walsh was picked off second. Gowdy to Evers. It was a smart double play. Schang struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Boston—Collins threw out Maranville at first. Baker threw out Deal at first. Rudolph walked. Moran fouled out to Baker. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Eighth Inning.

Philadelphia—Evers tossed out Pennock. Mann made a brilliant catch of Murphy's drive, cutting off a two-bagger. Oldring flied out to Evers. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Boston—Evers struck out. Collins threw out Mann at first. Whitted walked. Whitted stole second. Whitted went to third on a passed ball. Schmidt fanned. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Ninth Inning.

Philadelphia—Collins fanned. Evers threw out Baker. McInnes came to the bat. Deal threw out McInnes. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: R. H. E.

Philadelphia 1 7 0

Boston 3 6 0

Score:

Philadelphia—A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.

Murphy, r. f. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0

Oldring, l. f. 4 1 0 1 0 0 0

Collins, 2 b. 4 0 1 1 4 0 0

Baker, 3 b. 4 0 1 1 0 0 0

McInnes, 1 b. 4 0 1 1 0 0 0

Walsh, c. f. 4 0 1 1 0 0 0

Barry, s. s. 3 1 1 0 3 0 0

Schang, c. 3 0 1 0 3 0 0

Pennock, p. 1 0 0 0 1 0 1

Totals 31 7 24 18 0

Score by innings:

Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0

Boston 0 0 0 1 2 0 0 0 3

Summary: Two-base hits—Walsh, Shawkey, Moran. Stolen base—Whitted. Struck out by: Evers, Pennock, 3.

Bases on balls—Off Rudolph, 1; off Shawkey, 2; off Pennock, 2. Wild pitch—Pennock. Passed ball—Schang. Three runs, 4 hits off Shawkey in 5 innings. Double play—Gowdy to Evers. Left on bases—Boston, 6; Philadelphia, 4.

World's Series

BATTING AVERAGES

Boston's wonderful hitting in the pinches is the winning factor in their big fight for the world's baseball honors. The Athletics appear to be making their stride yesterday, but the Braves are now three to one favorites for the championship. Gowdy is the real sensation of the series. He is the real sensation of the baseball world. The averages to date are:

National League Champions.

Boston—G. A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.

Gowdy, c. 10 14 1 6 666

Evers, 2 b. 3 14 1 6 421

Maranville, s. s. 3 10 1 4 400

Mann, o. f. 2 5 1 2 400

Baker, 3 b. 3 13 2 4 391

Connelly, o. f. 2 9 1 1 310

Whitted, o. f. 3 11 2 1 150

Deal, 3 b. 3 12 2 1 000

Cathery, o. f. 1 5 0 0 000

Devore, o. f. 1 1 0 0 000

Rudolph, p. 1 4 0 1 250

James, p. 1 3 0 0 000

Tyler, p. 1 0 0 0 000

Gilbert, p. 1 0 0 0 000

Moran, o. f. 2 10 1 0 250

Totals 111 13 27 240

American League Champions.

Philadelphia—G. A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.

Wyckoff, p. 1 0 1 1 000

James, Boston, p. 1 0 1 1 000

Schang, c. 3 9 1 2 230

Baker, 3 b. 3 12 0 3 250

Murphy, o. f. 3 12 0 3 250

Oldring, l. f. 3 11 0 0 000

Collins, 2 b. 3 10 0 2 200

McInnes, 1 b. 3 10 0 2 200

Rush, s. s. 3 11 0 0 000

Lapp, c. 1 1 0 0 000

Bender, p. 1 2 0 0 000

Plank, p. 1 5 0 0 000

Rush, p. 1 5 0 0 000

Walsh, o. f. 1 4 0 1 250

Totals 97 5 16 161

Pitchers' Averages.

Wen. Lost. Pct.

Rudolph, Boston 1 0 1.000

James, Boston 1 0 1.000

Sinler, Boston 1 0 1.000

Bender, Athletics 0 1 0.000

Plank, Athletics 0 1 0.000

Rush, Athletics 0 1 0.000

Wyckoff, Athletics 0 0 0.000

PINKY GRINDLE TO TRADE HIMSELF

Bob Brown is Willing to Let Veterans Place Themselves Next Season

That the Northwestern league magnates have definitely settled upon a reduction in the league salary limit for 1915 is the opinion of local fans who have followed the financial side of the question closely this year. Bob Brown intimated on Saturday, when he passed through Victoria, that he was through with the high priced Coast leaguers for all time and the Vancouver club next year will be made up principally of youngsters. Brown has told Pinky Grindle that he is at liberty to make a deal for himself, while Pug Bennett, Jimmie Clark, Ben Hunt and the remainder of the vets. will have to look for new jobs.

The Northwestern league experienced a very disastrous season this year and the magnates are not going to take any chances on the war cutting into their bank accounts next year. All of the clubs will train at home and every one of them will depend on youngsters who are willing to work for a reasonable salary, one that will not "break" the different clubs.

Muggsy McGraw shoved the following lineup into the game for the final games against Philadelphia: Piez, l. f.; Brainerd, 2 b.; Thorpe, c. f.; Beatty, s. s.; Murray, r. f.; Stock, 3 b.; Holke, l. b.; Johnson, c.; Erickson, p.; Huenke, p.

St. Louis, Oct. 13.—The Federal league baseball clubs of Brooklyn, Pittsburgh, Kansas City and St. Louis lost money during the season now ending.

This is the statement attributed to James A. Gilmore, president of the Federal league, by newspaper men here.

"The St. Louis club lost \$45,000, exclusive of its holdings. This was the biggest loss sustained in the league. Chicago, Buffalo, Baltimore, and Indianapolis will show a balance on the right side of the ledger."

Gilmore denied rumors that the chief stockholders of the local club contemplated selling their stock, or that the franchise of the St. Louis club would be transferred to another city.

"As to organized baseball," he said, "we are not begging its recognition. We will force that."

RECORDS BROKEN AT HOLIDAY RACE MEET

Palmer and Raynor Stars of Willows Motor Event; Several Spills on Track

All local motorcycle and motorcar records were broken at the Willows track yesterday afternoon when the holiday meet was pulled off, despite the fact that the lowering clouds kept a great many of the enthusiasts away, while the slippery track resulted in one or two spills of minor importance. C. O. Raynor, of South Wellington, gave a finished exhibition of bike riding when he captured the championship of Vancouver Island, in straight heats from a large field, while Horace Palmer, driving a Buick Bullet, covered twenty laps of the Willows track in the record time of 14.57, winning easily from such noted drivers as E. J. Cameron, Red Lustig and C. Cameron. Toots Cameron won the matched race from E. Noel, of Portland in hollow style, the Rose City motor driver having engine trouble after covering half the distance, while Cameron drove in brilliant style, overhauling a big lead after his machine had started to miss and winning by almost a lap.

There were a couple of spills, Ephe Hanbury, riding an Excelsior machine, being tossed at the north turn when he tried to pass Raynor in the motorcycle feature. The rider pluckily remounted, but on the next lap he again took a header, having to drop out of the race. In the stripped bullet event, a Ford entry went through the fence at the bad corner, but luckily no one was hurt. Price proved the best pie eater in the motor cycle obstacle race, winning from Raynor, while Joe Market took the single cylinder event in straight heats. Red Lustig won the stripped bullet race with his Hudson car, but he was forced to withdraw in the ten mile race because of a bent axle and also a blowout. Noel was also compelled to withdraw from the race.

It is hardly likely that further races will be put on this year because of the threatening weather, but the local promoters are enthusiastic over their prospects for a big meet next season.

The judges were: J. Gorman J. D. Lamont and H. Hanover. J. W. Dunlop and W. Short acted as time-keepers, while the official starter was H. M. Fashly.

Following are the results. Motorcycle, 2 miles, single stock—1, J. Market, Indian; time 3.02. Motorcycle, 5 miles, novice—1, J. J. Rose, Excelsior; 2, D. A. Carmichael, Excelsior; 3, Cameron, Indian; time, 7.13 2-5.

Motorcycle, 3 miles, 7-h-p. twin—First heat: 1, Raynor, Indian; 2, D. A. Carmichael, Excelsior; 3, Cameron, Indian. Second heat: 1, Raynor, Indian; 2, T. Handbury, Excelsior; 3, Cameron, Indian; best time, 3.44. Buick; 2, C. Cameron, Buick; 3, E. J. Lustig, Hudson; 2, Donegan, Buick; 3, E. J. Cameron, Saxon; time 7.47 2-5. Motorcar, joy riders' handicap—1,

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Art Flanagan; 2, J. Casey; 3, "Winnipeg." No time given.

Motorcar, free-for-all—1, H. Palmer.

Motorcar, 4 miles, bullet stripped—1, Cameron, Saxon; distance, 10 miles; time, 14.57.

Motorcar, match race—E. J. Cameron, Stutz, vs. Noel, of Portland, Humber—1, Cameron; distance, 5 miles; time, 8.05.

Welsh Club Was

BEATEN YESTERDAY

COBB ONCE MORE

TOPS ALL HITTERS

Detroit Star Finishes in Front Eight Years in Succession; Big League Averages

Chicago, Oct. 13.—For the eighth year in succession Ty Cobb, of the Detroit Tigers, has won the batting championship of the American league. Figures published here Saturday—final though not—give Cobb a percentage for the season just closed of .368. In the National league Jake Daubert, of Brooklyn, won with an average of .346. The "three hundred batters" of American league number 15 and include Cobb, Detroit, .368; Hoblitzel, Boston, .324; Baker, Philadelphia, .319; McInnis, Cleveland, .319; Crawford, Detroit, .318; Fournier, Chicago, .311; Barbara, Cleveland, .308; Cree, New York, .302; Roth, Chicago, .302; C. Walker, St. Louis, .300.

Ranking according to games won and lost, the sum of which is 20 or greater, the leading pitchers of the American league are: Bender, Philadelphia, with 17 and 3; Leonard, Boston, 19 and 5; Plank, Philadelphia, 15 and 7. Maisei, New York, heads the base stealers with 73, and Baker, Philadelphia, leads in home runs, with nine.

National league batting averages follow: Roche, St. Louis, .367 (11 games); Wilton, New York, .367 (10 games); Pieh, New York, .360 (16 games); Erwin, Brooklyn, .348 (20 games); Steele, Brooklyn, .339;

Becker, Philadelphia, .322; Dalton, Brooklyn, .321; Wheat, Brooklyn, .317; Mager, Philadelphia, .316; Connelly, Boston, .314; Stengel, Brooklyn, .313; Pielan, Chicago, .304; Fisher, Chicago

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AWARD CONTRACT FOR LIGHT ON BONILA ID.

Weldon and Talbot, of New Westminster, to Build Fine New Lighthouse

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—The marine department has accepted the tender of Weldon and Talbot, of New Westminster, for the construction of the new lighthouse on Bonila Island.

This new aid to navigation forms another link in the chain of lighthouses which the Dominion government is establishing on the outside channel of British Columbia. This outside channel will be used chiefly by steamships bound for Prince Rupert, and while at the present time only coasting boats operate in those waters it is expected that in the very near future numerous deep-sea ships will make the G. T. P. terminal one of their ports of call on this coast.

Some time ago the marine department called for tenders for the construction of the new light on Bonila Island, which is to be of the first order and one of the finest yet erected in British Columbia waters, and in fact equal in size, power and stability to any to be found in the world. A number of firms on this coast figured on the lighthouse, but the Westminster contractors were successful. In the past the department has supervised the construction of its lighthouses and this is the first instance in which a first-order light will be built by contract.

The contractors will have to ship all their material to the lonely island, the lighthouse tenders having nothing whatever to do with the work. It is not known when they will make a start on the big job, but owing to the fact that the island is swept by terrific storms in the winter season it is not likely that very much will be done until the spring. The site for the lighthouse was surveyed some time ago by engineers of the department.

Lights in the Chain.

The government has already erected first-order lighthouses on Langara Island and Cape St. James, to assist mariners in making the port of Prince Rupert. The new light on Bonila Island will be of invaluable assistance in steaming through Hecate Strait. Before mariners lose the blinking of the Cape St. James light the flashes from Bonila Island will be picked up. It is understood that the department is considering the establishment of a high-powered light on Triple Island, the scene of the Prince Albert's stranding, in the very near future. This would make a marked improvement in the outer chain of lights.

FARLEY SAILS TO-NIGHT.

This evening the British steamship Farley, which arrived on Sunday to discharge extra bunker coal, will clear for the Sound to load grain for the United Kingdom.

TIDE TABLE.

October.											
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5	0.44	0.45	0.46	0.47	0.48	0.49	0.50	0.51	0.52	0.53	0.54
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7	0.66	0.67	0.68	0.69	0.70	0.71	0.72	0.73	0.74	0.75	0.76
8	0.77	0.78	0.79	0.80	0.81	0.82	0.83	0.84	0.85	0.86	0.87
9	0.88	0.89	0.90	0.91	0.92	0.93	0.94	0.95	0.96	0.97	0.98
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13	1.32	1.33	1.34	1.35	1.36	1.37	1.38	1.39	1.40	1.41	1.42
14	1.43	1.44	1.45	1.46	1.47	1.48	1.49	1.50	1.51	1.52	1.53
15	1.54	1.55	1.56	1.57	1.58	1.59	1.60	1.61	1.62	1.63	1.64
16	1.65	1.66	1.67	1.68	1.69	1.70	1.71	1.72	1.73	1.74	1.75
17	1.76	1.77	1.78	1.79	1.80	1.81	1.82	1.83	1.84	1.85	1.86
18	1.87	1.88	1.89	1.90	1.91	1.92	1.93	1.94	1.95	1.96	1.97
19	1.98	1.99	2.00	2.01	2.02	2.03	2.04	2.05	2.06	2.07	2.08
20	2.09	2.10	2.11	2.12	2.13	2.14	2.15	2.16	2.17	2.18	2.19
21	2.20	2.21	2.22	2.23	2.24	2.25	2.26	2.27	2.28	2.29	2.30
22	2.31	2.32	2.33	2.34	2.35	2.36	2.37	2.38	2.39	2.40	2.41
23	2.42	2.43	2.44	2.45	2.46	2.47	2.48	2.49	2.50	2.51	2.52
24	2.53	2.54	2.55	2.56	2.57	2.58	2.59	2.60	2.61	2.62	2.63
25	2.64	2.65	2.66	2.67	2.68	2.69	2.70	2.71	2.72	2.73	2.74
26	2.75	2.76	2.77	2.78	2.79	2.80	2.81	2.82	2.83	2.84	2.85
27	2.86	2.87	2.88	2.89	2.90	2.91	2.92	2.93	2.94	2.95	2.96
28	2.97	2.98	2.99	3.00	3.01	3.02	3.03	3.04	3.05	3.06	3.07
29	3.08	3.09	3.10	3.11	3.12	3.13	3.14	3.15	3.16	3.17	3.18
30	3.19	3.20	3.21	3.22	3.23	3.24	3.25	3.26	3.27	3.28	3.29
31	3.30	3.31	3.32	3.33	3.34	3.35	3.36	3.37	3.38	3.39	3.40

The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for high water distinguish high water from low water. When blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

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BAD GALE OFF COAST DELAYS MEXICO MARU

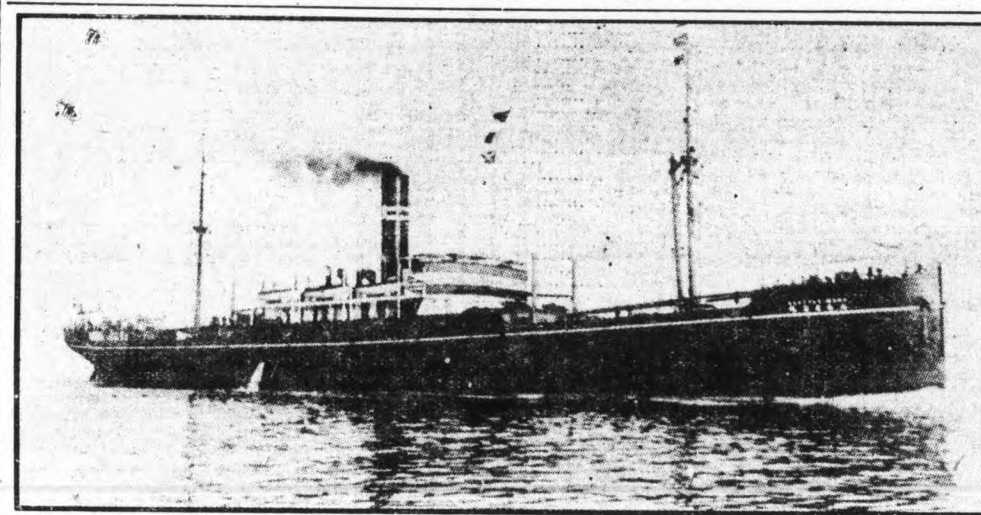
Osaka Liner, Expected in Tomorrow, Will Not Arrive Until Thursday

Owing to terrific storms off this coast the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner, Mexico Maru, has been delayed one day on the passage across the Pacific to Victoria from Yokohama. Capt. Kobayashi, master of the ship, sent a radiogram to the local agents, R. P. Rithet & Co., stating that bad weather had been encountered and that he would not reach William Head until Thursday morning at daylight. Last Saturday the captain sent a wireless message informing the agents that he would dock tomorrow morning, and to have lost 24 hours in two days the weather must have been particularly violent.

The Pacific Coast agents of the line were anxious to have the Mexico in port tomorrow so that she could have an extra day in which to make her calls on this side of the pond. The Mexico is inaugurating the Vancouver call and that will take fully a day. At present, owing to the heavy cargoes which have to be worked, the steamships have no time to spare on the Sound and any delays will make it hard for them to get away on their regular sailing hours.

The Mexico Maru has several hundred tons of cargo for Victoria and this will be given the smartest dispatch by the local stevedores. The steamship will immediately head for Tacoma to have her million-dollar shipment of silk rushed across the continent to New York by the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway.

The schedule of the Osaka line calls for the Mexico to sail outward on October 27. A full cargo has been booked for her already and she will take out all the passengers she can handle.



MEXICO MARU, WHICH IS EXPECTED TO BERTH EARLY THURSDAY MORNING FROM THE ORIENT

STRATHGARRY RUNS ON BEACH NEAR TOWNSEND

Port Townsend Oct. 12.—While making Townsend Bay at 7.30 o'clock on Sunday night, the British steamship Strathgarry went on the beach just outside Point Hudson. She struck at half tide and remained fast until high tide at 10 o'clock yesterday morning when she was floated. So far as is known at present, no damages were sustained and she will proceed to Bellingham to complete lumber cargo.

TO REPAIR ALBERT AT WALLACE YARDS

Vancouver Firm Secure Big Job to Put G. T. P. Steamer in Seaworthy Shape

Vancouver, Oct. 12.—The Wallace shipyard, North Vancouver, were successful in obtaining the contract for the repair of the steamer Prince Albert. Several yards tendered for the job, but the North Vancouver concern was considered the best tender and the Prince Albert will probably leave Esquimalt tomorrow for here.

Sixty shell plates have to be replaced and other damage repaired, and forty days are allowed for the job. This will be the first big repair job undertaken by the Wallace yards, and the north shore people are proud of the success of their local industry.

The Prince Albert was wrecked on August 18 at Brown's passage, and was floated by the British Columbia Salvage company.

The Dominion dredge Mastodon, Capt. Dave, which has been at the Wallace yards, returned to work in the Narrows this morning. A few weeks ago the Mastodon broke a chain which put the front tumbler out of action. The chain was repaired at the North Vancouver yard and the dredge is back on the job.

The steamer Cassiar, of the Union S. S. Co., is at the shipyard under-going annual overhaul.

The G. T. P. steamer Prince John is due here tomorrow to replace her propeller.

It is not often in these days that we find any real humor in the interruptions of political meetings. There are exceptions, however. "A man is soon forgotten after he's dead," said a Socialist speaker at Stratford recently. "Not if you marry his widow, governor," cried a voice from the crowd.

MANY GRAIN VESSELS DUE IN AT PORTLAND

Five Steamships and Seven Sailors Expected on Columbia in Next Ten Days

Portland, Oct. 13.—Portland's harbor will be crowded with offshore vessels in the next 10 days, should those en route to load grain for Europe manage to complete anything like average passages. In the list are five large steamships and seven windjammers. Besides the new American steamship Atlantic, belonging to the Boston-Pacific line, will be here from Boston and probably one or two of the American-Hawaiian liners from New York.

Shippers and others interested in marine affairs are looking forward to a period of unusual activity on account of the supposed near approach of the big fleet. The tramp steamships coming to take on grain for Europe, which are about due, are the Barrington Court, the Ventura de Larrinaga, the South Pacific, the Volga and the Oristano, all of which fly the British flag. The seven sailing vessels are the Norwegian barques Buland, Urania, Correx, Songvand, British barque Invercor, Russian ship Thomasina and the French ship Desaix.

The twelve vessels will be capable of handling an aggregate of nearly 2,000,000 bushels of wheat, or about a third of the quantity which was dispatched to Europe from Portland last season. Two or three of the steamships may take out full or part cargoes of barley. Flour and some miscellaneous freight may go out on a number of them. Grain alone will constitute the cargoes of the sailers.

Because of the southerly winds along the coast the sailing vessels are expected to be helped along a material degree on the tail-end of their passages. The majority of them are bound from the West Coast in ballast. A part European cargo is aboard the Desaix, which sailed from San Diego for Portland two weeks ago Saturday. The arrival of the Buland and Urania has been looked for the last week. The former is en route from Callao and the latter from Buenos Ayres. The Song-

SOME MORE SEAWEED FOR SOUP KITCHENS

Seattle Maru Loads Shipment for Hongkong; Carries Very Heavy Cargo

With a fresh supply of dried seaweed for the soup kitchens at Hongkong, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Seattle Maru, Capt. Saito, is sailing from Victoria this afternoon at 5 o'clock. The longshoremen will put one and one-half tons of the weed in the vessel's hold while she is berthed at this port today. This is the first shipment of seaweed to leave Victoria for some time.

The seaweed is gathered in the Strait by Chinese of this city, who by a special process dry it and pack it into bales. It is shipped to Hongkong, where it is used in the Chinese soup kitchens. The Celestials say that the soup which is made from the weed is really delicious.

Laden to Her Capacity. When the Seattle Maru clears this port she will be laden to her capacity with general cargo. Over 7,000 tons of wheat, flour, lumber, fish, machinery, farming implements, automobiles, motorcycles, cigarettes and flannel goods are stowed beneath the hatch combings. The ship had to refuse cargo at Tacoma. The outward freight offerings still continue exceedingly heavy, owing to the withdrawal of the C. P. R. boats and also to the fact that flour and wheat are beginning to move in huge quantities to the Orient.

The Seattle Maru has all the passengers that she can handle. Eighty-two Chinese and Japanese are embarking here. A party of Japanese tourists, which assembled at Tacoma, is going out to the Orient. The party consists of men, and while they always say they are going on a sight-seeing trip, they usually make it a bride-seeking pilgrimage as well.

PRINCESS MAY IN PORT.

The C. P. R. steamer Princess May, Capt. McLeod, returned from Skagway and Prince Rupert this morning. She brought south a fair list of passengers.

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1241 Haulman St., 6 rooms, per month	\$20.00
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1251 Pandora Ave., 12 rooms, per month	\$20.00
1129 McKenzie St., 7 rooms, per month	\$17.00
1209 Gladstone Ave., 8 rooms, per month	\$20.00
1716 First St., 5 rooms, per month	\$20.00
1728 Davis St., 7 rooms, per month	\$20.00
1221 Pandora Ave., 6 rooms, per month	\$18.00
1746 King's Rd., 6 rooms, per month	\$20.00
1006 Yates St., 8 rooms, per month	\$20.00
Herald St., 18 rooms, per month	\$100.00

UNFURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

1514 Elford St., 5 rooms, per month	\$20.00
2572 Belmont Ave., 6 rooms, per month	\$20.00
2223 Shakespeare St., 6 rooms, per month	\$20.00
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584 Hillside Ave., 8 rooms, per month	\$25.00
2221 Fernwood Rd., 7 rooms, per month	\$20.00
Burnside Rd., 8 rooms, per month	\$20.00
641 Manchester Rd., 9 rooms, per month	\$25.00
Fowl Bay Rd., 5 rooms, per month	\$20.00
1045 Queen's Ave., 6 rooms, per month	\$20.00
727 Herald St., 8 rooms, per month	\$20.00
1127 Caledonia Ave., 7 rooms, per month	\$20.00
1251 Pandora Ave., 12 rooms, per month	\$20.00
1129 McKenzie St., 7 rooms, per month	\$17.00
1209 Gladstone Ave., 8 rooms, per month	\$20.00
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1006 Yates St., 8 rooms, per month	\$20.00
Herald St., 18 rooms, per month	\$100.00

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

Gorge House, 19 rooms, per month	\$20.00
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Cecilia Rd., 6 rooms, per month	\$20.00
Crescent Rd., 7 rooms, per month	\$20.00
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MEETINGS

Companions of Forest.—The Companions of the Forest will hold a social dance in the A. O. F. hall, Broad street, on October 15, starting at 9 p. m.

Women's Guild, Fowl Bay.—The weekly meeting of the Women's Guild of Fowl Bay district will be held on Thursday afternoon next at the residence of Mrs. Fowler, 399 Fowl Bay road.

Diocesan Women's Auxiliary.—The quarterly meeting of the diocesan board of the Women's Auxiliary will be held at the Cathedral schoolroom next Friday evening, October 16, at 7.30.

Amateur Orchestra.—Any amateur musician may join the Victoria Amateur orchestra, organized and conducted by A. R. Dolson. Rehearsals are held every Tuesday evening at 8 at 1242 Rudlin street.

Cymadorion Society.—At the meeting of the Cymadorion Society to be held next Thursday evening Rev. William Stevenson will give an address on Lloyd George, and other special features will be furnished on the programme, including Welsh songs and recitations. There will be refreshments.

FOR SALE—ACREAGE
CASH \$99.50 acres at Elk Lake, all staked, with shack, on good road, close to B. C. Electric station; price, \$10.00. Also, 100 acres, 1000 ft. above sea level, opposite Spencer's, 013

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LIONS IN THE JUNGLE, at the Crystal to-night. 013

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LOST—On Oct. 11, Spanish, near Government Experimental Farm, lemon and white English setter. Anyone found in possession of same after this notice will be prosecuted. Return to 311 Fort St. 013

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A GENTLEMAN OF LEISURE, The Babel Organ, and Her Faithful Yuma Servant, at the Crystal to-night. 013

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LOST—On Monday afternoon, in balcony of Pantages theatre, a gold-handled umbrella. Reward at Times Office. 014

WANTED—Amateurs at the Empress theatre, for Wednesday night. Four prizes given: 1st prize, \$5.00; 2nd prize, \$2.50. 014

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HARRIS—At St. Joseph's hospital, on the 12th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harris, a son.

ments during the evening, and a very enjoyable social time is anticipated. The meeting will take place at Colbert's Hall, 726 Fort street.

Social Service Commission.—There will be a meeting of the social service commission to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

Tillium Scouts.—The first meeting of the Tillium Scouts, who are attached to the Fifth Troop, will be held to-morrow evening at Tillium Mission. A good turn-out is hoped for.

American Society.—The American Society will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at its headquarters, the parlors of the Dominion hotel. Members and those desiring to become members are invited to attend.

Baptist Young People's Union.—The Baptist Young People's Union of the Emmanuel Baptist church will give an entertainment at the Old Ladies' Home to-morrow at 8 p.m. Special music will be provided by members of the church, and Harry Crowthers, who is noted for his artistic monologues, has consented to lend his services for the occasion.

Victoria Teachers' Association.—There will be a meeting at the auditorium of the High school to-morrow evening. J. Davidson, F.L.S., F.B.S.E., provincial botanist, will give a lantern lecture on "Some Aspects of Plant Life in the Province." All members are asked to attend the business meeting at 8 o'clock, and friends are invited to the lecture at 8.30. There will be a musical programme.

Song Recital To-night.—To-night at the First Congregational church, Quadra street, a thanksgiving song-recital will be held in connection with the harvest festival services at 8.15. Maunders' oratorio, "Song of Thanksgiving," will be sung by the choir of 35 voices, assisted by Robert B. MacKenzie, Ernest Petch and David C. Hughes. All seats are to be free, but a collection will be taken during the evening in aid of the organ fund. Through misunderstanding this recital was announced yesterday for last evening.

AUSTRIAN MAY SUE
Order-in-Council Giving Alien Enemies Protection of Law is Interpreted.

That an Austro-Hungarian subject resident in the Dominion of Canada enjoys the right in spite of the war to appeal to the courts of this country for the protection of the law is the effect of Mr. Justice Gregory's decision in the case of Emil Topay v. the Crown's Nest Pass Coal Co.

The order-in-council read by H. A. Maclean, K. C., to the effect that Austro-Hungarians and Germans should enjoy the protection of the law so long as they continued peacefully to pursue their vocations was held by his lordship to give the right to begin an action, exactly as before the war. Accordingly the motion by E. V. Bodwell, K. C., in behalf of the defendant company to stay the action until after the war is dismissed.

Topay is suing for damages for injuries while working in the defendant's mine.

Gymnasium Classes, Y. W. C. A.—The Y. W. C. A. gymnasium classes will open to-night.

Home Guard to Parade.—The Victoria Volunteer Guard will parade to-night at the drill hall at eight o'clock sharp. Capt. and Adjutant "Weather" asks that every member of the guard turn out to this drill. The guard is making rapid progress with drill, and the members who have not already had military knowledge are picking up the manual very well.

Council Meets.—The council of the board of trade will meet on Thursday morning at 10.30, to consider what business to bring before the quarterly general meeting on the following day, Friday, at 3 p. m.

LOCAL NEWS

Illegal Sale Alleged.—A charge was read in the police court this morning against David Murray for an alleged contravention of the law in selling liquor to an individual apparently under the influence. A remand of two days was asked for and obtained.

Case Dismissed.—A charge against Hong Lee of selling fish on the sidewalk of Fisgard street was dismissed this morning in the police court, there being no evidence to show that the defendant was the person actually concerned in the selling.

Disturbed the Peace.—Three Hindus who got into trouble through attempting to settle their argumentative differences on the public street, were each fined \$12 in the police court this morning by Magistrate Jay. Their names were Wassu Singh, Jander Singh and Char Singh.

Injuries on Field.—At the Central football field yesterday, Charles Fidler received internal injuries, and in response to a call to the police station, the patrol went out in charge of Constable Allen and took the sufferer to the Victoria hotel where he was attended to by Dr. Leader.

Paid Costs.—Sing, a Chinaman, appeared before the magistrate this morning, charged with obstructing Fisgard street by selling chickens. Evidence was given by Constable Gates that he saw the accused with three large baskets before him. He was told to move on and did not obey. Therefore the summons was lodged. Magistrate Jay remarked that the offence was not a serious one and ordered Sing merely to pay the costs of the interpreter.

Given Another Chance.—"I always believe in going to headquarters when I want anything," said Arthur Clegg to Constable Simmonds on Yates street yesterday when he accosted that constable for the money for a meal. The constable, however, smelled liquor on Clegg's breath and advised him to move on. Later he saw Clegg accost several other people and ask them for money. He was then arrested. The accused stated that he had just come out of jail last Thursday and that he had not had a bite to eat for twenty-four hours. The magistrate gave the prisoner another chance.

Local Council Depot.—The depot of the Local Council of Women, 637 Fort street, would be very glad to receive still further orders for work or offerings of openings for needlewomen, housekeepers, or for general workers, as there are still a number of such applicants on the books without positions.

Plans for the new building, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Manson, and Mrs. Fleming are in charge of the rooms to-day, and a fresh supply of home-made cakes, bread, and other cookery has been brought in to-day. A table, generously given by Mr. Deville to the rooms, has been utilized for the display of attractive Christmas gifts, and the tea-rooms are serving their purpose well.

Fifth Troop Parade.—Fifteen troop, Boy Scouts, paraded last evening at 6 o'clock and marched out to Tillium mission, St. Jude's, where a very successful entertainment was held. Scoutmaster Johns presiding in the unavoidable absence of the former solo was contributed by Scout Le Huquet, and further solos were provided by Miss Wright, Mrs. Hoffman and Mr. Wright. Miss Queenie Ball and Patrol-Leader Cochran gave recitations, and a very amusing sketch was played by two or three amateur actors. The playlet was entitled "On the Road to Mauro." A feature of the entertainment was the ambulance display given by the Scouts, and a tableau, in which Britannia stood, surrounded by Scouts, concluded the formal proceedings, after which delicious refreshments were served. The hall was appropriately decorated with fruit, flowers and grain, and everyone enjoyed the occasion immensely.

LAW SUIT THREATENS BUSINESS REVOLUTION

Case Involving Only \$50 Moved From County Court to Supreme Court

On account of the widespread effect of a decision adverse to the defendants, Mr. Justice Gregory this morning granted leave to remove from the county court to the supreme court a case in which the sum involved was only \$50. The proceedings were begun by William K. Maloney, of Vancouver, assignee of the Douglas street clothing firm, Spence, Doherty & Co., against Shalleross, Macaulay & Co., Ltd., to recover a payment made by Spence, Doherty & Co. eight days before assignment.

H. W. R. Moore, who appeared for Shalleross, Macaulay & Co., stated that under the Creditors' Trustees act of British Columbia any payment made by a firm within ten days before assignment was void and had to be paid back to the assignee. Spence, Doherty & Co. paid \$50 on a bill of exchange to the Canadian Bank of Commerce, the bill having been discounted at the bank some time previously by Shalleross, Macaulay & Co. The assignee sued the original holders, who brought in the bank on third party proceedings.

Mr. Moore's contention was that the above clause of the provincial statute did not apply to bills of exchange because if it did the provisions of the Bills of Exchange act, a Dominion statute, could not be carried out. He also contended that the provision was contrary to the law of merchant.

In support of this contention, he declared that if it did apply the whole of business practice would have to be revised. Banks would be compelled to hold all proceeds of bills of exchange for 10 days or else require indemnity.

D. S. Tait, for the assignee, opposed the transferring of the case to a court where costs would be higher, as the estate did not regard the \$50 of sufficient importance to enter upon prolonged and expensive litigation. Mr. Moore intimated that his reason for desiring the change was to take the case to the highest court in the land and the assignee could not afford that.

Finally Mr. Justice Gregory granted Mr. Moore's motion and ordered the case to the county court judge, A. P. Lukton, K. C., in behalf of the bank, supported Mr. Moore's application.

THREE MONTHS FOR THEFT

G. Francis Found Guilty of Stealing Trousers, Though Not of Taking \$50 Cash.

George Francis was sentenced to three months in jail this morning by Magistrate Jay for the theft of a pair of trousers belonging to a former navy man named Gray. In the charge against him the theft of \$50 was also included, but the magistrate held this was not proven by the evidence, and imposed the moderately light sentence for the theft of the trousers alone.

To prove that Gray had previously accused the prisoner of theft, Francis brought Robert Chadwick, proprietor of the Jubilee hotel, as a witness. The latter acknowledged the theft of Francis' statement, and added that Gray had shouted twice that he was robbed and on one occasion witness had made one of Francis' companions restore what he had taken. The prisoner, himself, however, had not been involved in these actions.

Continuing the story, Francis told of seeing Gray, a member of the I. W. W., with two other men, standing outside the Royal Arms hotel where Gray was staying. He saw the two men enter with Gray, and the night being wet, he himself went inside the porch, and sitting at the foot of the stairs, took off his shoes, as his ankle was hurting him. Some moments after came a great commotion on the stairs and two men came hurtling down. Seeing that he might get into trouble, Francis thought discretion the better part of valor and ran for it, leaving his shoes behind him. So it had happened that Constable Macpherson caught him on Government street without his shoes on a wet and stormy night, and immediately placed him under arrest.

No penny of his has ever crossed my palm, concluded Francis, pointing at the informant.

Magistrate Jay could not accept the story of the prisoner and sentenced as above.

PLAN FOR FURNISHING

Ladies' Guild of Seamen's Institute Meets and Discusses Opening of New Building in Near Future.

The ladies' guild of the Connaught Seamen's institute met this morning at the Empress hotel for the purpose of discussing the furnishing of the new institute, which is to be opened, it is hoped, about the end of the present month. Mrs. Thompson, the president, was in the chair, and several subscriptions toward the furnishing fund were reported. Miss Eleanor Dunsinuir, it was stated, had generously undertaken to furnish the reading room complete, and Captain Shadforth, of the S. S. Gray, had kindly donated a billiard table. The purchasing committee reported to the meeting that they already obtained chairs for the institute.

A special vote of thanks was passed to the Amateur Dramatic society for its timely and acceptable contribution of \$50, and Mrs. Murray Thain, who, as hostess, had invited the ladies' guild, read an excellent report of her work for the month, was also thanked.

Sufficient furniture for the bedrooms will be supplied from the old institute, and it is hoped that additional comforts will be contributed by friends before the opening, which was purposely postponed beyond Trafalgar day in the hope that the premier might officiate.

ENLISTING MEN FOR BERMUDAN SERVICE

Col. Roy Called Upon for One Hundred Recruits to Augment Ranks of Corps

Fifty young Victorians are wanted by the department of militia at once for service in the Bermudas, these being part of one hundred required from the province of British Columbia. Any man who desires to enlist should make application at once to Colonel Roy, district officer commanding Military District No. 11, at Work Point barracks.

The recruits will be enlisted into the Royal Canadian regiment, the infantry unit of the permanent force. They will be enlisted for one year or the duration of the war, and the rate of pay will be the usual rate in existence in the permanent force. Colonel Roy believes that he will receive a prompt response to this call of Canada for men to augment their own small standing army, and that he will be able to send forward the last of the one hundred he is asked to secure by October 25.

The men of the R.C.R. who were stationed at Halifax have been sent to Bermuda to relieve the British troops there for service at the front, and the belief is strong that the Canadian detachment will follow them. It is for this reason that the men are now being recruited who will be sent from here to Halifax, with every prospect that they will be sent to Bermuda as soon as they are sufficiently familiar with the drill to relieve the R.C.R. men there now.

No word has been yet received by Colonel Roy from Ottawa as to the composition of the second contingent, but he has all the machinery of his department ready to act within five minutes of the receipt of the message.

The fine weather is being taken advantage of to-day for drill and rifle practice at the camps, where everything is going on as usual except for the good-natured grumbling of the men at the delay in actually ordering them to proceed for the front.

The officers in charge of the various detachments of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteers wish to thank those who helped to supply the Thanksgiving dinners served to the men of the navy yard.

WILL NAME DELEGATES TO GO TO KAMLOOPS

Municipalities to Send Representatives to Meeting of Union

The city and the several adjacent municipalities, in common with other municipalities of British Columbia, will this week appoint their delegates to the annual meeting of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities, which will be held in Kamloops. It is expected the city council will appoint its delegates this evening. The new municipal act which regulates all local government in the province, except that of Vancouver city, has been shown wanting in some respect after a few months in operation, and there are sure to be some amendments suggested at the convention. The return by the government to the municipalities of a percentage of motor traffic license fees will probably be urged.

The city solicitor states that the arrangement between the city council and the Rockland avenue owners, agreed to at a conference recently, has been embodied in a formal agreement. The approval of a judge for the withdrawal of the case started a few years ago to be secured, after which the city will be free to repair the roadway and the owners to meet their assessments under the by-law.

One feature of the proposed issuance of treasury bills for public works, for which a by-law has yet to be prepared, is that before any treasury bills can be issued an authorization by-law must be prepared covering each street proposed. The list of streets is partially dependent on the decision of the paying committee, as from its recommendations for 1915 may perhaps be withdrawn some streets which will be attempted this winter in the way of relief work. There was a brief meeting of the committee on Friday after the streets committee had met. Other meetings will probably be required before the committee makes a final recommendation.

Good progress is being made with the improvement of Pandora avenue. It is hoped that the turning of the area to be improved in the gore will be taken up at once. One of the three spaces has been finished, and the second is now in the hands of workmen. The seeding down and planting of the area is to be put in the hands of the parks committee as soon as possible. It will, however, probably be well into next year before the third space, the irregular square east of Cook street which received such a large measure of support for a city hall site, is ready. The sidewalk on the south side of Pandora avenue will have to be widened, or else a boulevard will be required, as the new curb, which had to be put in immediately for paving to proceed, is not where the old curb was, but is in a new location, leaving a space unoccupied. The matter has already been called to the attention of the aldermen.

Personal.

Mrs. R. L. Phillips, of 31 Howe street, will not receive to-morrow.

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Victoria Woman Born Near Liege Voices Feeling of Her People

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The same grateful sentiment animates all Belgians who are living abroad. One of the few of these in Victoria is Mrs. Josephine Cassidy, who was born in one of the little villages that nestle under the shadow of the forts that surround the city of Liege. Through the columns of the Times she desires to express the thanks of her countrymen and countrywomen who are suffering, as well as of those who are living out of the danger zone, for the generous manner in which the British people are coming to their aid at this time. Being a Victorian now Mrs. Cassidy desires very specially to thank those in this city and neighborhood who are aiding and those who have undertaken the work of handling the gifts and subscriptions here. To all these she gives assurance that their aid is very sorely needed, and that the need is being met will never be forgotten by Belgians.

The Stooke Women's Institute held a concert last week in aid of the funds, and was able to hand over the handsome sum of \$72 to the trustees.

A sacred concert is being arranged for next Sunday evening, the time and place of which will be announced later. The Fifth Regiment band will take part and play a number of sacred pieces, and there will be several vocal selections by well-known Victoria vocalists. Right Rev. Mgr. Letenne, who is himself a Belgian, will give a short address.

The ostrich feather fan which was being raffled for the benefit of the fund was drawn for last evening, when ticket number 238 secured it. This is held by E. Arbeau.

Any people desirous of disposing of any articles by auction for the benefit of the Belgian fund are asked to send the articles to Stewart Williams, auctioneer, View street, where they will be stored until arrangements are made by the trustees of the Belgian fund for their disposal. The public will be able to view the goods thus offered on the premises.

CHARGE WAS DISMISSED.

Quinn Found Not Guilty of Being in Possession of Stolen Bicycle.

Quinn, a young Chinaman, left the police court this morning without a stain on his character after facing a charge of being in possession of a stolen bicycle.

The wheel originally belonged to James Simpson, the florist, but was left by him standing against a telegraph post one day in August while he was inside a store. When he came out a

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At West End Grocery
Members in James Bay apply to Box 1146 for good milk at 21 pints for \$1.00

Few minutes afterwards the machine had vanished.

The other day Quinn turned up at the store of Harris & Smith and asked what they would give him on the bicycle if he wanted to buy a new one. They discovered that the bicycle belonged to Mr. Simpson, and later Quinn was placed under arrest.

The Chinaman's story to the magistrate was that he had got the machine for \$2.50 from a white boy. He produced the receipt. There was a slight discrepancy between the story he told the court and Detective Inspector Portue at the time of arrest. The boy admitted he was confused at that time. Magistrate Jay dismissed the charge. Quinn was defended by J. C. McIntosh.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred very suddenly on October 10 at Portland, Ore., of J. Brook White. The deceased, who but a few weeks ago visited the city, was a native of Godalming, Surrey, England, and for some time had been employed in the United States geological survey. He was 59 years of age, and is survived by a brother, Herbert H. White, and a sister, Mr. Skidmore, both living in Victoria.

The death occurred at noon yesterday at St. Joseph's hospital of Mrs. Madeline Hart. The deceased, who was a widow, had lived here about two years, and was 56 years of age. She was born in Bohemia. She leaves four sons in the United States, also two daughters, Mrs. Frank Franzen, of 569 Michigan street, with whom she had been living, and another living in Portland. The remains are at the Hanna-Thomson funeral parlors pending funeral arrangements.

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In the matter of the estate of Low Chop, deceased, interstate, and in the matter of the Administration Act.

NOTICE is hereby given that under an order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Gregory, dated the 14th day of September, 1914, I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased.

All persons having claims against the said estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 14th day of October, 1914, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

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The first was presented twice yesterday to holiday audiences in the Royal Victoria theatre, and was enjoyed to the full. It is being demonstrated by the Lawrence company that it is as adept with a musical piece as it has shown itself to be with dramatic productions on its former visits to this city.

The story of the piece—for there is a story in it that is not a negligible quantity—is probably nearly as well known as the air that is sung, danced, hummed and whistled through its three acts, "Every Little Movement." Miss Lucille Palmer, who is favorably remembered here as an ingenue in the Empress company in support of Isabella Fletcher, during a visit to the old Victoria a few years ago, is a charming Yvonne, and fully comes up to the demands of the part. She is pretty and bright, and possesses a sweet voice, well suited to the music which falls to Yvonne. Admirable is her restraint in the song, "I'm All Right," and her conception of the scene of champagne exhilaration which the composers so unnecessarily wrote into the part.

Also a delight to look upon is Miss Leslie Wallingford as Lulu, and her acting and singing in the part of the dancer who loves two men at once is equally agreeable. Miss Daisy D'Avra, another member of the company who is recalled here, proves herself sufficiently bolsterous as Catharine, the pseudo Madame Sherry, and is the Irish house-keeper without exaggerating or over-doing the part. Miss Margaret Marriott is a hot-blooded, dagger-in-the-garter South American beauty to the life.

Alfred T. Layne, in the role of Theophilus Sherry, one which depends upon the actor to fill in the skeleton of a very skinny part, provides a generous proportion of the comedy of the piece with his dry and crackling humor. Roy Collins makes a splendid janitor, president of the janitor's union and jealous husband of Catharine. Among the men of the cast he easily has the finest voice. Howard Lawrence and Edward Lawrence, respectively the younger Sherry and a son of the president of Venezuela, make handsome and likeable lovers.

The mounting and costuming of the piece are worthy of praise.

"I was outspoken in my sentiments at the club to-day," said Mrs. Garrulous to her husband the other evening. With a look of astonishment he replied: "I can't believe it, my dear. Who outspoken you?"

REUNION OF PIONEERS

Old-Timers Will Be Guests of Post No. 1, Native Sons of B. C. This Evening in K. of P. Hall.

The annual reunion of the members of Post No. 1, Native Sons of British Columbia, with the pioneers of the province will take place this evening after the regular meeting of the post, and is expected to be as well-attended and as interesting as former reunions of the kind have been. Many survivors of the early days of the province will be present to talk over the men and incidents of those times.

E. O. S. Scholfield, provincial archivist and librarian, is to give a lecture on pioneer days, under the title: "From California to Cariboo in the Days of Gold," and as few men have such a fund of information regarding the early days and the men who laid the foundations of the province as he has this will be well worth hearing.

The reunion will be held in the Knights of Pythias hall, North Park street, commencing at half-past eight o'clock, the meeting of the post beginning an hour earlier. The committee has made arrangements for the conveyance to and from the reunion of any of the pioneers who feel that the lateness of the season and the night air would not otherwise permit them to be present. Any of them who let Reginald Hayward, the secretary of the post, know before half past six o'clock this evening will have a conveyance sent for them. They can get Mr. Hayward by calling at 734 Broughton street or telephoning to numbers 2235 or 2234.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 13.—5 a. m.—An ocean storm area now centred over northern B. C. has caused southerly gales on the Gulf and the coast, and heavy rains have prevailed on the lower mainland. Fine and cold weather is general in Manitoba.

Forecasts.
For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday. Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong southerly winds, unsettled, with occasional rain.
Lower Mainland—Easterly and southerly winds, unsettled, with rain.

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.03; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 51; wind, 8 miles N. E.; rain, .09; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles N. E.; rain, 1.30; weather, rain.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles N. E.; rain, .15; weather, fair.

Nelson—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 59; rain, 10.

Barikerville—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 42; wind, calm; rain, .06; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, fair.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 56; wind, 6 miles S. E.; rain, .04; weather, fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 76; minimum, 58; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

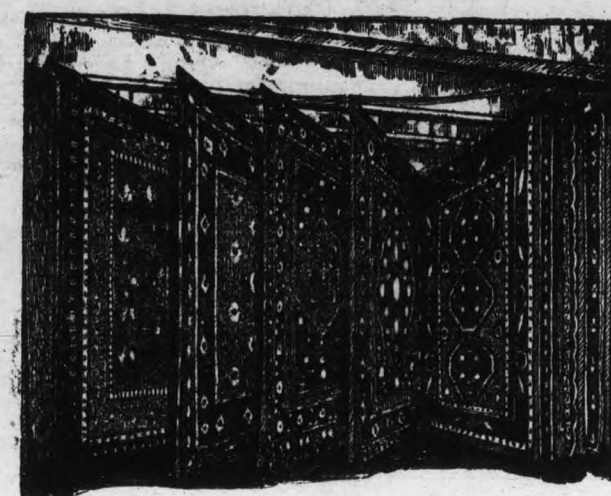
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, minimum yesterday, 45; wind, calm; rain, .32; weather, rain.

Temperature.

Penticton..... 55
Calgary..... 34
Edmonton..... 38
Prince Rupert..... 46
Winnipeg..... 44
Toronto..... 64
Ottawa..... 66
Montreal..... 60
St. John..... 68
Halifax..... 70

Victoria Daily Weather.
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Monday.
Temperature.
Highest..... 56
Lowest..... 49
Average..... 52
Rain, .21 inch.
General state of weather, cloudy.

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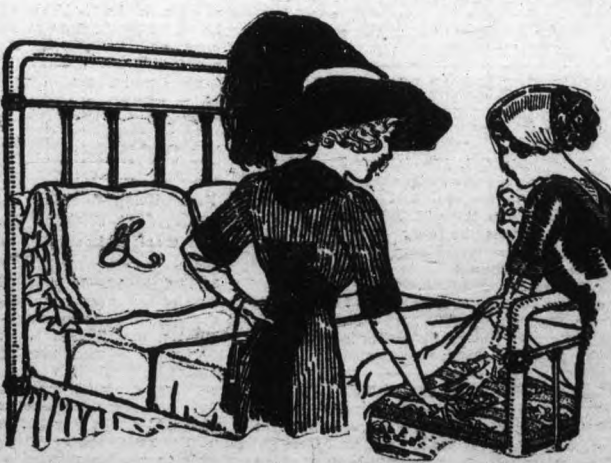
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